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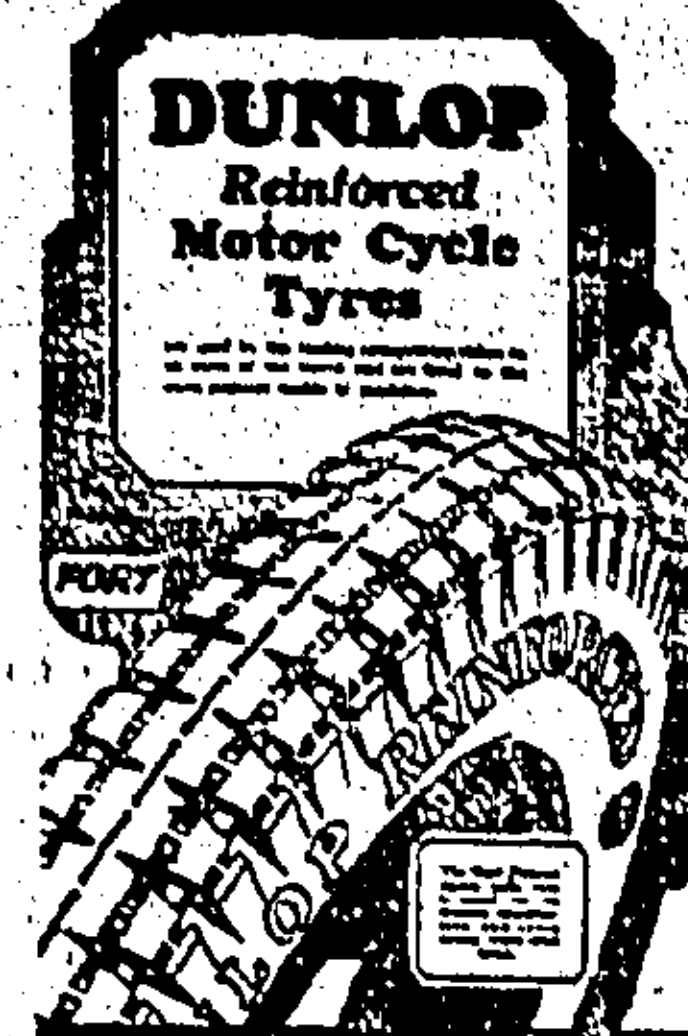
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A TARIFF TRUCE PROPOSED.

EVILS OF DUMPING EMPHASISED.

GRAIN SLUMP IN BRITAIN DUE TO SOVIET ACTION.

LEAGUE DISCUSSION.

Geneva, Sept. 22.
At a meeting of the Economic Committee of the League of Nations, the Swedish delegate, speaking on the subject of the most-favoured-nation clause in the agreements, proposed a resolution that the League enquire into the question of dumping and the system of export bounties, with a view to determining the feasibility of international action in order to obviate the serious economic effects of this practice.

The Rumanian and Finnish delegates complained of the dumping of Russian timber and agricultural produce, and hinted at the possibility of retaliation.

Holland's Suggestion.

The Netherlands delegate said that Holland desired to do her utmost to prevent economic warfare, and thought the best way would be a reduction of tariffs by protected countries to a reasonable level; but if this at present was not possible, then Holland was willing to collaborate in a scheme whereby low tariff countries could undertake to maintain a low tariff for a fixed period in return for a reduction of tariff by the high tariff countries.

He opposed the Rumanian plea that agricultural countries should receive preferential treatment from importing countries on the ground that free-trade Holland would have to impose duties in order to grant such preferences, which would mean the raising of the price of foodstuffs for the Dutch population.

Other Schemes.

The French delegate said that France was prepared to enter into negotiations with a view to placing tariff systems on the old basis of equal opportunity, for all on the home market, provided there was a general plan which gave a measure of security in tariff matters.

The German delegate advocated the co-operation of all the European countries in a complete Customs Union as a solution of agricultural and other economic problems. He believed that a number of European States were ready to give such assurances to Britain that the latter would find it advantageous to consolidate her tariffs with theirs.—*Reuter.*

Soviet Grain Dumping.

London, Sept. 22.
Coincident with the League debate on dumping at Geneva, "the bottom has been knocked right out of prices" on the British corn exchange, and according to an official statement the position has never been so grave for the British and British Colonial farmer. Quotations on the Liverpool and Baltic exchanges have reached a ridiculously low level in consequence of Soviet grain, which is "planted, grown and reaped by serfs", being dumped on the markets by the Soviet's grain armada from the Black Sea ports.

There is a similar position reported from the United States, the American Secretary for Agriculture declaring that the Soviet is selling wheat short in the Chicago market to the detriment of the American farmer. He adds that it is impossible for Russia to deliver grain at Chicago with a tariff of 42 cents a bushel.—*Reuter.*

British Ships Chartered.

London, Sept. 23.
Apropos of the reports of Soviet wheat dumping mentioned last evening, Cardiff correspondents report unparalleled vessel chartering during the past few weeks by the Soviets.

At least 170 cargo-boats, aggregating over half a million tons, mostly British, have been chartered for wheat and wood in Black Sea and North Russian ports.—*Reuter.*

THE NEW PRINCESS NAMED.

"MARGARET," AFTER THREE SCOTTISH QUEENS.

"ROSE" SECOND NAME.

London, Sept. 22.
It is officially announced that the baby girl born to the Duke and Duchess of York at Glamis Castle on August 21st will be named Margaret Rose.—*Reuter.*

The new Princess is the first Royal child to be born in Scotland over three centuries, and the choice of the name of Margaret will be appreciated by Scotch people, as it is the name of three former Scottish Queens.

St. Margaret, Queen of Malcolm III of Canmore, King of Scotland, was born in 1045 and died in 1093. She was canonised on account of her benevolence to the Church.

Margaret, titular Queen of Scotland, was born in 1233 and died in 1290. She was generally known as the "Maid of Norway," and her mother was the daughter of Alexander III of Scotland.

The third Queen Margaret was born in 1489 and died in 1541. She was the eldest daughter of Henry VII of England.

The name "Rose" has probably been chosen as being typically English, as the flower of that name is the national emblem and has no historical or Royal associations.

The baby Princess' names thus typify the union of England and Scotland, which was signified in the marriage of the Duke and Duchess.

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY IN RUSSIA.

ATTEMPT TO DISORGANISE FOOD SUPPLIES.

Moscow, Sept. 22.
An official communique relating to the discovery of a "counter-revolutionary mischievous" organisation in connexion with the supply to the population of meat, fish, tinned goods and vegetables, says that seventeen members have admitted that the organisation aimed, in conjunction with foreign capitalists, at making the supply system miscarry, thus creating a famine, hoping that the discontented masses would overthrow the dictatorship.

The heads of the organisation were a former landowner, a former Major-General, Professor Riazanov, and the former Chief Editor of the pre-revolutionary *Trade and Industrial Gazette*, M. Karatygin.

The majority of members are former nobles and ex-officers under the Tsarist regime, and members of the constitutional democratic Menshevik parties. The organisation was also connected with the White Guards.

The OGPU has been entrusted with the investigation of its activities.—*Reuter.*

BRITISH AIRMAN'S SOLO FLIGHT.

CAPT. MATTHEWS AHEAD OF BERT HINKLER.

Karachi, Sept. 22.
Captain F. R. Matthews, who set out from London on September 16 on a flight to Australia, has arrived here, ahead of Mr. Bert Hinkler's time for the journey to India.—*Reuter.*

On September 16, Captain Matthews, instructor at the London Aeroplane Club, who taught Miss Amy Johnson to fly, started from Croydon at dawn in an attempt to break the record for a solo flight to Australia. He is flying a 120 h.p. cabin Puss Moth machine.

He was reported the same day to have arrived at Belgrade, after averaging 115 miles an hour.

CHANGE-OVER IN THE NORTH.

MUKDEN TROOPS NOW IN PEKING.

NEWCOMERS MOVING FREELY ABOUT CITY.

THE C.E.R. DISPUTE.

Tientsin, Sept. 22.
The entire Manchurian Fifth Brigade pushed up the railway to-day and is expected to arrive in Peking this evening, while its place here is being taken by the Twenty-Seventh Division under the command of General Lin Nai-chung.

The latter Brigade arrived in eight troop trains throughout the day and is at present drawn up on sidings at the Central Station. Meantime, the advance party of the Sixth Brigade has reached Tientsin East Station and it is expected that the remainder will arrive during the night.

During to-morrow and Thursday, the Twenty-Third Brigade is expected, accompanied by General Yu Hsueh-zung personally, and this will complete the entire Expeditionary Force at present inside the Great Wall.

Railway Bridge Blown Up.

As far as can be ascertained, the Fifth and Sixth Brigades will form the garrison for Peking, while the Twenty-Third and Twenty-Seventh Divisions will remain at Tientsin.

It was learned this evening that through a misunderstanding a railway bridge was blown up near Tsangchow, on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, thus cutting off the retreat of a number of Shansi troops from the south, but it is stated that adequate precautions are being taken to prevent panic, and no serious developments are expected.—*Reuter.*

Peking, Sept. 22.
A troop train with Manchurian forces on board left Peking for Tientsin at 10.30 to-night and is expected here before midnight.—*Reuter.*

Mukden, Sept. 22.
The Chinese delegation at Moscow telegraphs that the official conference with the Soviet opens on October 11th.—*Reuter.*

Manchurians Enter Peking.

Peking, Sept. 23.
One regiment of Manchurians entered Peking at about midnight, moving freely about the city.

The Shansi Garrison Commander and Director of Public Safety is handing over charge and leaving to-day.

The Manchurian armoured trains have gone on to the Peking-Hankow Line, for Paotingfu.—*Reuter.*

The C.E.R. Dispute.

Mukden, Sept. 22.
On account of the Soviet menace and because of the urgent desire among the elder Manchurian politicians for an early and amicable settlement of the Chinese Eastern Railway dispute, General Chang Hsueh-liang's chief terms suggested to the Nanking Government in connexion with his occupation of Peking and Tientsin include a demand that the Nanking Government should make due concessions regarding the Harbinovsk Protocol at the Sino-Soviet Conference at Moscow to expedite the settlement of the Soviet-Manchurian entanglements.

The consent of the Nanking Government was received at Mukden before General Chang Hsueh-liang mobilised for Peking and Tientsin.

Date of Conference.

In confirmation of the above news Harbin sources state that a preliminary conference at Moscow will take place on Thursday the final conference is expected to commence on October 11th.

The second Manchurian term to Nanking concerns the formation of a buffer zone in Shantung Province, where the Manchurian commanders are insisting on the appointment of General Shih Yu-san, a keen supporter of General Chang Hsueh-liang, as Military Governor, vice General Han Fu-chu.

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THE INCOMPARABLE BOBBY JONES.

BIG BID FOR THE AMATEUR GOLF TITLE.

PROPOSED LECTURES.

Ardmore, Pp.m., Sept. 22.
In an opening bid for the fourth major golf title this year, with an amazing round of 69, one stroke under par, in the first qualifying round of the American Amateur Championship, Mr. Bobby Jones has set American hearts aglow with expectation. The achievement was an "unparalleled" feat, as the turf was soft and took a toll of the majority of other competitors.

The nearest to Jones were Noyes, with 70, Oimmet, with 73, and Perkins, who took 74. Tolley was on the brink of failure, returning a card of 82. The former champion, Sweetser, had a doubtful-looking 81, and T. Bourne a hopeless 87.

It is understood that Bobby Jones may accept an offer of \$100,000 for a tour of America, lecturing on golf with slow-motion instructional films showing his play. Jones denied the story before teeing off this morning, but golf circles regard it as certain that he will accept if he wins the Amateur Championship.

A storm of protest would thereby be aroused from the professionals, who are already very jealous of Jones' success and regard his syndicated articles as poaching on their preserves. The films which it is proposed to exhibit also show Vardon's and Wethered's styles as compared with Jones.—*Reuter's American Service.*

Ardmore, later.
The following are further scores in the qualifying round of the American Amateur Championship: Willing 70, Dunlap 71, Little 73, Von Elm 73, Goodman 73, Lawson 73.—*Reuter's American Service.*

HOME FOOTBALL.

CARDIFF WIN FOR THE FIRST TIME.

London, Sept. 22.
In the Second Division of the English Football League, Cardiff, playing at home, secured their first win when they defeated Plymouth Argyle by four goals to one, whilst Port Vale entertained Bradford and won by eight goals to two.

The inter-city match between Glasgow and Sheffield, played on the former's ground, resulted in a win for the home team by four goals to one.

In the Scottish League, Hamilton were at home to Aberdeen and won by two goals to nil.—*Reuter.*

BIG STORM OFF THE FRENCH COAST.

MANY FISHERMEN WASHED OVERBOARD.

Paris, Sept. 22.
The storm which has been raging for some time on the coast of Brittany has not yet abated.

Many fishermen have been washed overboard from their fishing-smacks and drowned.—*Reuter.*

MR. SCULLIN VISITS FRENCH CAPITAL.

AUSTRALIAN PREMIER SEES SIGHTS OF PARIS.

Paris, Sept. 22.
The Australian Prime Minister, Mr. Scullin, has arrived here. He saw the sights this morning, and rested in the afternoon, as he is still far from strong.—*Reuter.*

REGATTA TO BE HELD AT HENLI.

GOVERNOR YIH GIVES HIS PERMISSION.

Shanghai, Sept. 2.
Permission has been given by Governor Yih for the Autumn Regatta to be held at Henli on November 1 and 2.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

DAIRY FARM CO. CAPITAL.

MEETING APPROVES INCREASE.

HOPES OF MAINTAINING THE USUAL DIVIDEND.

PROMISING FUTURE.

Shareholders of the Dairy Farm, Ice and Cold Storage Co., Ltd., this morning approved of an increase in the Company's capital from one and a half million dollars to two and a quarter million dollars by the creation of 100,000 additional new shares, of which one half will be issued immediately to shareholders in the proportion one new to four old, the remainder being held over until such time as a further issue is necessary.

In addressing the shareholders, Mr. J. P. Warren, who presided, said it was not considered sound policy to continue adding to the Company's assets and extending its business by borrowing extensively from its bankers. He added it was estimated that the saving in interest next year would amount to about \$1 per share on the new issue, and therefore no difficulty was anticipated in maintaining the usual dividend on the increased capital.

Chairman's Speech.

After the Secretary had read the notice convening the meeting, the Chairman said: "Gentlemen, a few words of explanation are perhaps necessary as to the reasons which have prompted your Directors to recommend the proposed increase of capital and the number of shares to be offered to shareholders. The Company's capital was last increased in 1922 since when its business and turnover have considerably increased necessitating the expenditure of large sums of money on buildings, machinery, cattle etc., in fact, our capital expenditure during the last five years has exceeded \$1,600,000. It is not desirable nor is it sound policy to continue adding to our assets and extending our business by borrowing extensively from our bankers whose assistance in this way has been much appreciated."

In the opinion of your Directors, the time has arrived when an increase of capital is fully justified. It is estimated that the saving in interest next year will amount to about \$1 per share on the new issue, therefore we anticipate no difficulty in maintaining our usual dividend on the increased capital.

Issue Explained.

You will observe from the notice just read out to you that it is proposed to issue at once 50,000 fully paid up shares out of the increase of 100,000 shares which you are being asked to authorise, and to hold over the remaining 50,000 shares until such time as a further issue of capital may become necessary.

It is further proposed to offer these 50,000 shares to present shareholders in the proportion of 1 new share to every 4 old shares at a premium of \$7.50 per share, viz., at \$15 per share and to call up the amount due by 24th December, 1930, so that the new issue shares, as from 1st January, 1931, will rank *pari passu* with the old shares for dividends and other benefits.

I am glad to say that the Company is doing well and the future is promising. I now beg to propose the resolution read out by the Secretary be adopted.

The resolution was as follows: (1) That the authorised capital of the Company (which is now \$1,500,000 consisting of 200,000 shares fully paid up of the nominal value of \$7.50 per share all of which have been issued) be increased from \$1,500,000 to \$2,250,000 (consisting of 300,000 shares of the nominal value of \$7.50 each) by the creation of 100,000 additional new shares of the nominal value of \$7.50 each.

(2) (a)—That 50,000 of the said 100,000 new shares be offered forthwith (in the proportion of one new share for every complete number of four issued shares held by them respectively) to the persons who on the 23rd day of September, 1930, are registered in the

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KIDNAPPED MAN ESCAPES.

SHANGHAI COMPRADORE'S EXPERIENCE.

MONTH'S CAPTIVITY.

Shanghai, Sept. 23.
There has been a remarkable sequel to the disappearance of Mr. Wang Che-feng, the assistant compradore of the Yangtze Insurance Association, who was kidnapped nearly a month ago. Mr. Wang has escaped from his captors, who had hidden him in a mud hut at Pootung, and taking a sampan, crossed to the Shanghai side of the river and to safety.

The story of his kidnapping was a thrilling one. It will be recalled that Mr. Wang was held up in daylight on the morning of August 26, on the French Bund, near the offices of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire.

The desperadoes were in a hire car which they had previously taken by force, one of their number having hired it, ordering the driver to take him to a house in an alleyway off Avenue Joffre, where the chauffeur was held a prisoner for more than an hour, while the kidnapers used his car for their operations. After his release the driver reported the affair to the police, but meanwhile the compradore had been seized and spirited away.

The car had pulled up near Butterfield and Swire's offices about ten o'clock, just as Mr. Wang Che-feng approached in a ricksha, and two armed men who got down held up the passenger at pistol point and bundled him into the car, which rapidly drove away. The car was discovered at four o'clock that afternoon in Route de Sieyes, where the gang had abandoned it.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

ECHO OF THE CHAI WAN MURDER.

POLICE OFFERING REWARD OF \$250.

A murder which occurred on September 4, is recalled by the offer of a reward of \$250 by the Police for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the crime.

The murdered man was a cake hawk, named Lam Tsui, aged 22, a native of Waichow, who was found lying strangled, with his ankles bound together, on some rocks in the bed of a mountain stream leading off the path which runs between Chai Wan Village and the main road near the junction of Stanley and Shek-O Roads. He had worked at the Tai Heung Bakery, No. 120, Main Street, Shaikwan, and prior to being missed the day before, the discovery, had been sent out to deliver cakes in various places between Shaikwan and Stanley. It was presumed at the time that the motive of the murder had been one of robbery, as the man was returning with his day's takings when he appears to have been set upon.

COPPER WIRE STOLEN FROM DOCKS.

PORTUGUESE GUNBOAT'S LIGHTS FAIL.

"I got it from a rubbish heap," said a Chinese charged before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning with the larceny of some copper wire from the Kowloon docks.

Inspector Lane said that the defendant was a casual coolie. He went into the dockyard yesterday morning together with some other coolies, and on being reprimanded when he came out in the afternoon the copper wire was found on him.

Sergeant Marriott said that on Sunday night a Portuguese gunboat was lying alongside the dock. The lights suddenly went out about 8 p.m. An electrician went round and found that the wires had been clipped off. The following day two detectives were placed on watch, and they arrested the defendant.

A sentence of six weeks' imprisonment was imposed.

HEALTH BUREAU CASE APPEAL.

AUTREFOIS ACQUIT CHALLENGED.

MAGISTRATE'S DECISION OVER-ruled.

ALLEGED LARCENY.

An appeal under the Magistrates' Ordinance from a decision of Mr. Butters delivered on August 29, this year, was decided in the Court of Appeal this morning before the Acting Chief Justice (Mr. Justice Wood) and the Acting Puisne Judge (Mr. P. Jacks). The appeal concerned the Police Court action when Siow Choon-leng preferred charges, against Kwok Chun-shing relating to a sum of \$520, being money of the Health Service Intelligence Bureau.

At the Police Court Mr. M. K. Lo was for the complainant and Mr. F. X. D'Almada, senior, defended. This morning Mr. F. C. Jenkin was for Siow Choon-leng (complainant-appellant) and Mr. Leo D'Almada, junior, was for Kwok Chun-shing (defendant-respondent) both counsel being instructed by the respective solicitors who appeared at the Police Court.

Originally there were 22 charges of which four related to the \$520. The four alleged larceny, wrongful conversion, falsification of account books and obtaining the money by a false voucher. A plea of not guilty was entered, and the case was investigated before Mr. Grantham who dismissed all the charges and discharged defendant. The complainant then applied for a re-hearing, which was refused. Later, leave to appeal was granted, but complainant did not proceed with the appeal.

Subsequently he took out a summons against defendant charging him with uttering a forged voucher in respect of \$520, the money and voucher being the same articles as mentioned in the charges in the previous action. On the new case a plea of not guilty and *autrefois acquit* was entered for the defence, and complainant was dismissed.

Autrefois Acquit.

The Magistrate stated a case in which it was set forth that the complainant was dissatisfied with the decision and felt he had been aggrieved by it as being erroneous in point of law. In the case set out it is stated that the question of law arising was whether it was permissible for the Magistrate to accept the plea of *autrefois acquit* and to consider it on its merits as he did, and also whether on such consideration the defendant (respondent) was properly discharged.

Autrefois acquit meaning formerly acquitted, is a plea in criminal cases. When a person is indicted for an offence and acquitted he cannot be afterwards indicted for the same offence, provided the first indictment was such that he could have been lawfully convicted on it, and if he be thus indicted a second time he may plead *autrefois acquit*, which will be a good bar to the indictment. The true test by which the question whether such a plea is a sufficient bar in any particular case, may be tried, is whether the evidence necessary to support the second indictment would have been sufficient to procure a legal conviction upon the first.

In opening the case for the appellant (complainant) Mr. Jenkin said that for the purposes of his argument the only charges of the original proceedings relevant to the matter were charges five and six. The fifth charge alleged that respondent (defendant) made or concurred in making a false entry in a certain cash book, which entry purported to show that \$520 had been paid to a certain person. The sixth charge alleged that defendant (respondent) made or concurred in making a false entry on a voucher with reference to the same sum, purporting to show that the money had been paid to T. K. Leung (or Leng).

Appeal Submissions.

After dealing with portions of the Magistrate's statement of the case, counsel submitted that in 1929

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Victor McLaglen and Fifi D'Orsay in "Hot for Paris," due at the Queen's Theatre on Friday.



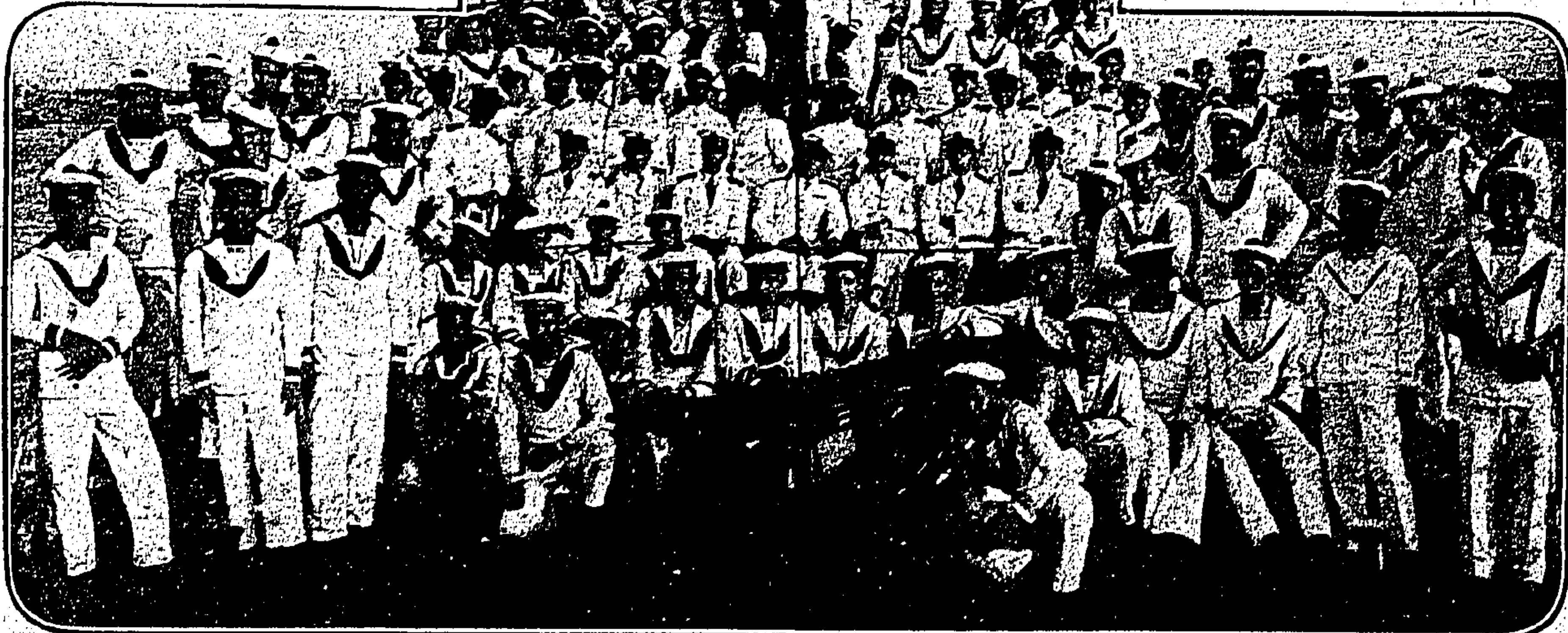
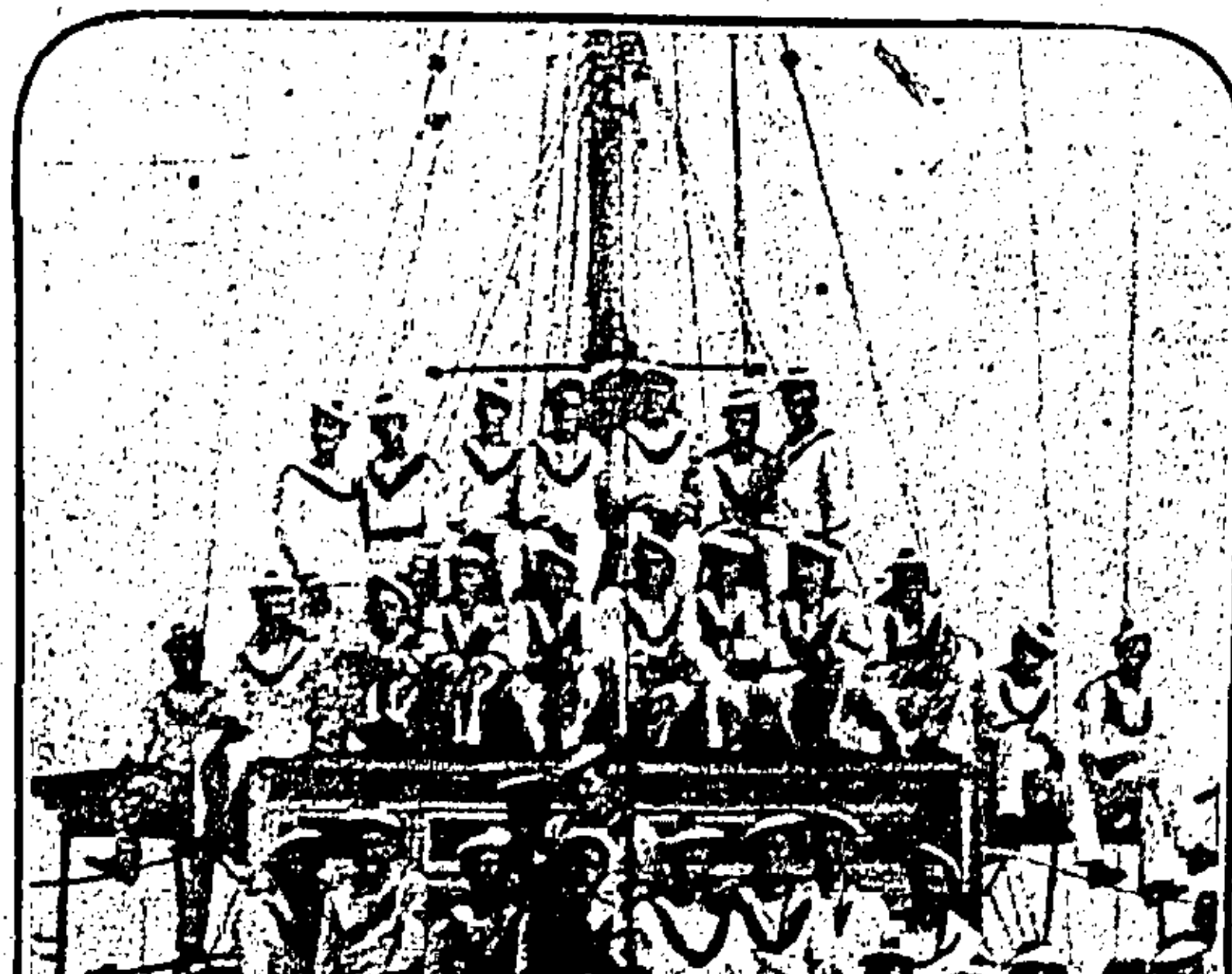
This is the most recent portrait of Pope Pius XI, whose illness has been reported. Though now 73 years old, he has refused to abandon any part of his regular daily routine since he first sat on the throne of St. Peter in 1922. His physicians have counselled him to rest.



George Kessler, above, foreman of a Philadelphia coal dock, was a guest on Sir Thomas Lipton's private yacht off Rhode Island. The two became acquainted when Kessler, many years ago, lost a one-dollar bet on the Shamrock III, and Sir Thomas, hearing about it, personally consoled him.



Mrs. E. S. Cunningham, the popular wife of the American Consul-General, who is leaving Shanghai for a holiday, in the United States.



The crew of French gunboat Marne are shown when the gunboat anchored off the Bund, Shanghai. Staff, officers and sailors are grouped on the deck of the cruiser with everything in shipshape order.

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New Advertisements.

HONG KONG LADIES' HOCKEY CLUB.

The Fourth Annual General Meeting of Members will be held at Lane Crawford's (Blue Room) on THURSDAY, 25th September, 1930, at 5.15 p.m. All Members are specially requested to be present.

NOTICE.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

The Annual General Meeting of the Kowloon Football Club will be held in the Club Pavilion at 6 p.m. on TUESDAY, 30th September, 1930.

By Order of the Committee. JAMES SMITH, Hon. Secretary.

NOTICE.

KOWLOON FOOTBALL CLUB.

Possibles versus Probables.

There will be an inter-club match on TUESDAY, 23rd September, at 5 p.m. all players are asked to make an effort to attend.

NOTICE.

The first practice game of the Hong Kong Hockey Club will take place on the Marina Ground in Kowloon, on WEDNESDAY, September 24th, at 5.15 p.m. As many members as possible are requested to turn up. Teams will be picked on the ground.

(Sgnd.) G. E. R. DIVETT, Hon. Secretary.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eighth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Friday, 10th October and on Saturday, 11th October 1930 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Race Course, Hongkong Club and Causeway Bay Stables.

Entries close at 12 o'clock Noon on Thursday, 2nd October, 1930.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Seventh Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 27th September, 1930, commencing at 2 p.m. The first bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS ENCLOSURE

Members are notified that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed.

No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.—for Gentlemen and \$2.—for Ladies are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a member, such member to be responsible for payment of all chits etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will not be on sale at the Race Course.

Members can obtain, upon application to the Secretary, badges (limited to two) for the free admission to the Members' Enclosure of wives, lady relatives and friends. Names must be stated when applying.

On no pretext will children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.—for all persons including ladies and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted half price.

Bookmakers' Tie Tac men etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order, C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in the Company will be held at Lane Crawford's Cafe, Exchange Building on Tuesday, 23rd September, 1930 at 10.45 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 17th to 23rd September, 1930, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

M. MANUK Secretary.

Hongkong, 8th September, 1930.

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UNEMPLOYED MEN CHARGED.

STORY OF EARLY MORNING ROBBERY.

Two unemployed Chinese, Tse Kui (19) and Leung Chiu (23), were charged before Mr. H. R. Butters, at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, with the theft of a leather purse, two pairs of pearl ear-rings, two jade and gold hair preses, one gold brooch, two pairs of women's shoes, four bundles of clothing and \$45 in Hongkong and Shanghai bank notes, the property of Dong Sze, a married woman, living at 5, Tong Mei Road, Kowloon. The total value of the property stolen was \$113.

The first defendant said that a friend of his stole the articles and gave some to him.

The second defendant also gave a similar excuse. He said they did not go inside the house, but another friend went in and stole the property.

Detective Sergeant Fitches said the first defendant was arrested when he tried to pawn some of the stolen articles. He admitted that he had stolen them from the complainant's house. He stole the articles in the company of two others. On his information the second defendant was arrested, but the third defendant had absconded. The complainant was sleeping in her cubicle when she was suddenly awakened about three o'clock in the morning and found that her purse with the jewellery and money in it were missing, and also a large box. She raised the alarm and tried to get out of the cubicle but found the door closed from outside.

The principal tenant was aroused, and after hearing what had happened he went out into the back alley and there saw the three defendants seated round the box sharing its contents.

The complainant gave evidence identifying the articles as her property.

The principal tenant gave evidence with regard to having seen the three defendants in the back alley, but he said he could not identify the defendants because it was very dark at the time.

The case was remanded until to-morrow in order to get the evidence of the statements made by the defendants.

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All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and noon within the free storage period.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all General Cargo remaining undelivered after the 29th September, will be subject to rent.

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Insurance. Canton Ins., \$1010 b. Union Ins., \$450 n. North China Ins., Tls. 160 b. Yangtze Ins., \$50 n. China Underwriters, \$2.90 n. China Fire, \$400 b. H. K. Fire Ins., \$1,070 sa.

Shipping. Douglases, \$281 b. H. K. Steamships, \$251 b. Indo-Chinas, (Def.) \$35 n. Union Waterboats \$32 n.

Mining. Benguet, \$9 n. Kailans, \$2/6 n. Langkats, Tls. 81 n. Shai Explorations, Tls. 1.30 b. Raubs, \$233 b.

Docks, etc. Kowloon Wharves, \$160 a. Whampoa Docks, \$35 a. China Providents \$5.25 b. (Old) Hongkows, Tls. 280 b. New Engineering, Tls. 7.30 n. Shanghai Docks, Tls. 117 n.

Cottons. Ewo Cottons, Tls. 12.60 b. S'hai Cottons, Tls. 84 (old) n. Lands, Hotels, etc. H. and S. Hotels, \$11. b. H. K. Lands, \$781 b. do. 751 sa. x Rights do. Rights 131 a.

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Public Utilities. Tramways \$18.20 b. Peak Trams (old) \$13.60 b. Star Ferries, \$83 a. China Lights, (Old) \$25. b. H. K. Electric, \$79 n. Macao Electric, \$23 n. Telephones \$35 n. China Buses, Tls. 181 n. Singapore Tractions, 8 n.

Industrials. China Sugars, \$1.10 sa. Malabons, \$27 n. Cald. Macg. Ord. Tls. 10.75 n. Canton Icos, \$3 a. Cements (Comb.) \$17.65 s. Ropes \$11.30 sa. United Asbestos \$5 n. Stores, etc. Dairy Farms, \$26.80 s. Watsons, \$11.90 n. Der A. Wings, \$1 b. Lane Crawfords, \$3.15 b. Mackintoshes, \$19 n. Sinceros, \$11.60 n.

Miscellaneous. Amusements, \$251 b. Constructions, \$2.40 b. B'que Ind. G. Bonds, 61% n. H.K.G. Loan 8% Prem.

AMERICAN STOCKS.

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For Per Date and Time.
Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Victoria B. C. Hikawa Maru Tues., Sept. 23. Registration 4.15 p.m. Letters 5 p.m. (Due Victoria B. C. 15th Oct.)
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Sam Shui and Wuchow Tai Hing Tues., Sept. 23, 4 p.m. Pres. Taft Tues., Sept. 23, 4.30 p.m.
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Haiphong Hopang Tues., Sept. 23, 5 p.m.
Swatow Chengtu Wed., Sept. 24, 9.40 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi, and Haiphong Talyuan Wed., Sept. 24, 9.30 a.m.
Amoy Emp. of Japan Wed., Sept. 24, 3.30 p.m.
Manila Van Heutz Thurs., Sept. 25, 9 a.m.
Straits Deli Maru Thurs., Sept. 25, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow Hydrangea Thurs., Sept. 25, 3 p.m.
Swatow Sui Sang Thurs., Sept. 25, 5 p.m.
Amoy and Japan Khyber Fri., Sept. 26, 10.50 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Siberia Haiyang Fri., Sept. 26, 1 p.m.
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G.P.O.
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Letters Sept. 27, 10.30 a.m.
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Amoy Anking Sat., Sept. 27, 5 p.m.
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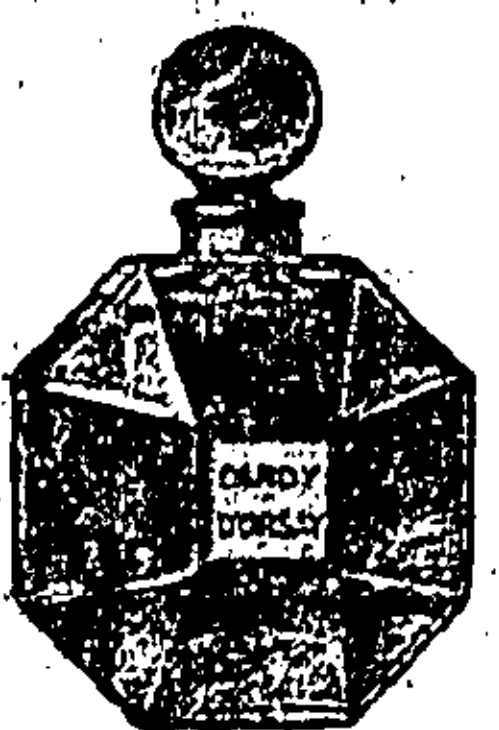
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ARMY BOXING.

SOMERSET'S NOVICES IN FINALS.

There were many spectators at Murray Barracks last night, to watch the semi-finals and finals of the Novices Boxing Competition which have been held in the Unit recently. Novices events, as most people are aware, are open only to those soldiers who have never won an event in their weight in the Unit. Sixteen fights were staged last night, and all counted, except for one fight, towards the Inter-Company Cup.

Before a large audience, which included the Commanding Officer of the 1st Bn. Somerset Light Infantry (Major R. H. E. Bennett, M.C.) and Major D. McKelvey, D.S.O., R.A.M.C., the ring, which has frequently served as a bandstand for the many concerts held in the barracks, all contestants made a good show.

The fights ran as follows: Bantam-Weights. Pte. Macdonald, "A" Coy, defeated Pte. Roots, "B" Coy, to reach the semi-final, and Pte. Colwell, "A" Coy, did the same against Pte. Barter, "D" Coy. In the semi-final round, Colwell made a lot of points by a good left, followed by a quick follow-up with the right, to take the first round. There was very little to choose in the second round, though Colwell had slightly the better, and consolidated his advantage in the last, and final round.

Feather-Weights.

Feather-Weights—Cpl. Newcombe got into the final round by winning from Pte. Moore, although behind on points at first. The going saved Moore in the second round, but Newcombe put in a shrewd right to win early in the third round. Pte. Bryan reached the final by defeating Bgr. Walsh, although the issue was in doubt until the final round, with Bryan getting points through leads to Walsh's body and head. In the final, both contestants were careful in the first round, and no real blow was struck. The second round was fairly even, and Bryan got the verdict in the third round for his better timing.

Light-Weights.

Light-Weights—Pte. Leaver "D" Coy, lost to Pte. Lynch of "C" Coy, in one of the semi-finals, taking most of the punishment in the first round, Lynch taking the round on account of being most on the offensive. Lynch won by a bout, not by any good boxing, but because he had just the better of the exchanges. Bgr. Swaby and L/Cpl. Blackburn fought an even first round, but in the second round Swaby got in a punch to Blackburn's head that had the latter staggering. Blackburn fought back well, but the round was just in favour of Swaby, good boxing in the last round giving the fight to Swaby.

The final fight of the light-weight class was, for the first two rounds, the best of the evening, and opened with some hard and sparkling hitting, Lynch being the better boxer in the first round. Swaby fighting back well, Swaby got Lynch on the ropes in the second round, but could not register a k.o. punch. Exchanges were fairly even, each man being groggy in turn, until Swaby got going in the last round, and won the fight.

Welter-Weights.

The welter-weights produced a good scrap between Webb and Shaddick in the semi-final, the former getting most of the points by the better fighting, though Webb got the verdict. The first round was quite in favour of Shaddick, and he consolidated his position, in military parlance, by standing off and boxing his opponent in the next two rounds. Pte. Davy beat Boy Warwick in the other semi-final, although there was little to choose in the first round, Warwick relying mostly on a very good defence. The second round was similar to the first, but both boxers were called to the ropes by the referee, and told to box. The third round went to Warwick, who showed more enterprise than Warwick, although beaten by Webb in the final rounds.

Middle-Weights.

Pte. Rochester beat Pte. Rawlings in the semi-final of the middle-weights, and qualified to meet Boy Wride, who defeated Pte. Eastwood. Wride is a fine fighter, and should train on to something like class. His mixing of the fighting in the final against Rochester, who was out to "kill" Wride, was extremely good, and he should go a long way.

The Light-Heavyweights produced only three entrants, so that the points did not count for the Inter-Company Cup. A good fight was seen between L/Cpl. Browning and Pte. Roberts, but Roberts got Browning down in the first twenty seconds, and the going

AMERICAN BASEBALL RESULTS.

CHICAGO AND BROOKLYN NECK AND NECK.

Chicago and Brooklyn are again on level terms with each other and are fighting hard to overhaul St. Louis, who are at the top of the National League. The Cardinals were not engaged on Sunday but Brooklyn lost their game to Pittsburgh while Chicago won against Boston.

Philadelphia, in the American League, had one win and one loss against St. Louis while Washington went down in their only match against Detroit, the Mackmen thus increasing their lead.

The results, as cabled by Reuter were as follow:

National League.			
New York	6	Cincinnati	4
Brooklyn	6	Cincinnati	7
Brooklyn	6	Pittsburgh	7
Boston	2	Chicago	4

American League.			
Chicago	15	New York	7
St. Louis	8	Philadelphia	4
St. Louis	4	Philadelphia	10
Detroit	4	Washington	3
Cleveland	4	Boston	9

The League tables, revised to date, are as follow:

National League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	86	62	.581
Brooklyn	85	64	.570
Chicago	85	64	.570
New York	85	67	.559
Pittsburgh	78	69	.530
Boston	69	81	.460
Cincinnati	57	90	.387
Philadelphia	51	98	.329

American League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	100	60	.666
Washington	90	60	.600
New York	84	67	.556
Cleveland	79	72	.523
Detroit	75	76	.496
St. Louis	62	90	.408
Chicago	61	90	.404
Boston	52	98	.346

Monday's Games.

New York, Sept. 2.
The following are latest baseball results in the National League:
Boston 2 Chicago 6
Philadelphia 7 St. Louis 15
—Reuter's American Service.

ARMS SMUGGLING CHARGE.

SHANGHAI JAPANESE UNDER ARREST.

Shanghai, Sept. 22.
The local Japanese police have brought allegations of arms smuggling against a man named Shihono, who was arrested after they had found certain cases in the Customs House containing a large number of pistols and a quantity of ammunition.—Our Own Correspondent.

saved him at the end of the round, although he was not actually on the floor. Roberts could not stand the punishment, and went down for the count in the third round.

The Points.

The points for the evening's fighting went in favour of "A" Company, who obtained 23 points, H. Q. Company coming second with 16 points, "B" Company being next best with 9 points. "A" Company thus take the Inter-Company Boxing Cup, and were heartily congratulated by Major R. H. E. Bennett, at the conclusion of the fighting, when the prizes were distributed. He made special reference to the good losers who had put up a spirited fight for their own particular Company, and hoped that the display would only serve to spur the battalion to better efforts when it reached Indian soil during the winter.

Cheers were accorded Captain B. J. Corballis, who acted as referee during the whole of the evening, to Lt. L. H. Bradshaw, Lt. R. N. Thicknesse, Lt. T. V. Beer, and Lt. M. Marriott-Doddington, who were the judges in turn. Much credit is to be given to Sergt. Nicholls, who has trained the boys of the battalion to such a high standard of boxing prowess that they produced eight of the contestants for semi-final or final honours. Nicholls is, himself, a boxer of military renown, he having won the Light-Weight Championship of India in 1919, and he accompanied the Indian Army Boxing Team to England in the same year.

The six good losers' prizes were won by Ptes. Chick, Dowling, Roberts, Dicks, and Leaver, and L/Cpl. Blackburn.

CINEMA NOTES.

"THEY LEARNED ABOUT WOMEN."

When "They Learned About Women," the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer all-talking picture starring Van and Schenck, comes to the Queen's Theatre to-day, the public will be given an opportunity to see how these former vaudeville headliners not only put over their song numbers on the talking screen but for the first time in their lives handle straight acting roles.

During a recent interview, the wisecracking pair were asked what they thought was the principal difference between working in vaudeville and talking pictures.

"Well," replied Schenck, "as I see it, the main difference is that instead of singing eight songs three times a day, as we do in vaudeville, we sing three songs eight times a day in the talkies."

Van had this answer to offer: "Instead of going to bed at dawn and starting to work at sundown we have to get up at dawn and keep working until sundown, and I'm not certain just which I prefer. You know, it's pretty hard to sleep nights after putting in twenty years on the road as we have." And that's the extent of the information that could be got out of the pair.

Bessie Love plays opposite the singing comedians in their first talkie, a pictureization of an original baseball-vaudeville story written especially for them by A. P. Younger and adapted for the screen by Sarah Y. Mason. "Bugs" Baer, noted humorist, wrote the dialogue.

Jack Conway and Sam Wood directed the new picture with the supporting cast including Mary Doran, Eddie Gribbon, J. C. Nugent, Benny Rubin, Tommy Dugan and Francis X. Bushman, Jr.

"Hot For Paris."

You may not believe it until you see and hear it but the clarion tones of Victor McLaglen, famed as "Flag" in "What Price Glory" and "The Cock Eyed World" are heard singing "I'm the Duke of Kakiyak," in Raoul Walsh's current Fox Movietone production, "Hot For Paris" in which McLaglen plays the role of the first mate of an Australian wind jammer.

Walter Donaldson and Edgar Leslie of "Whoopie" fame wrote the song especially for Victor McLaglen and how he sings it!

To prove he is versatile, McLaglen not alone sings but dances and, inspired by the pleadings of El Brendel, his sailor buddy, gives a series of imitations in the typical McLaglen manner.

"Hot For Paris," based on a story by Walsh and with Fifi Dorsay and El Brendel co-starring with McLaglen, is scheduled to open on Friday at the Queen's Theatre.

"Rio Rita" Attendance Records.

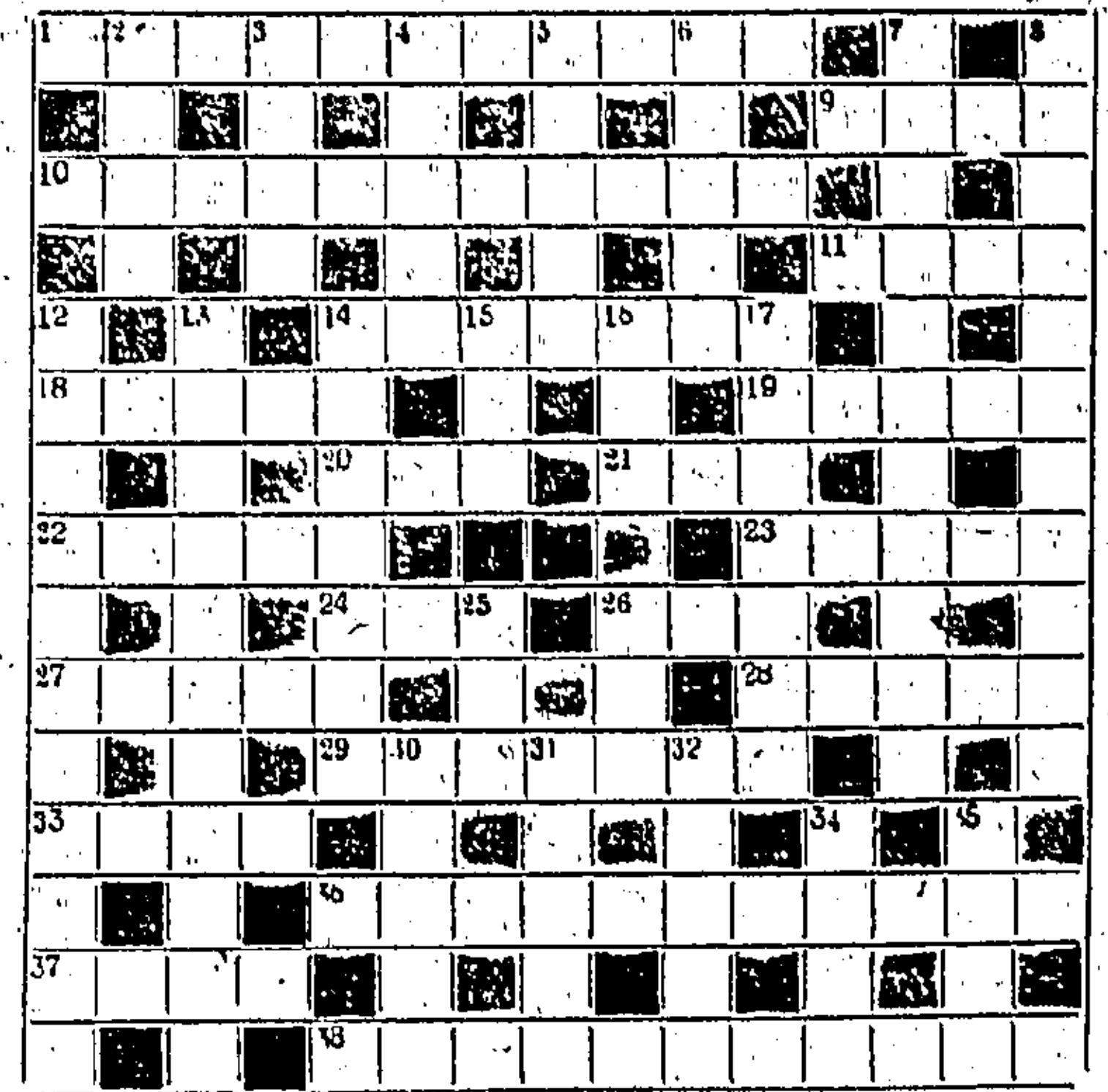
A new box-office record was hung up to-day by the Central Theatre as receipts for the first five days showing of "Rio Rita," the all-talking, all-musical Radio Pictures' extravaganza, went to a new high mark. Local fans declare "Rio Rita" to be one of the most pretentious picture they have witnessed.

The extraordinary quality of Bebe Daniels' singing voice; the irrepressible comedy of Bert Wheeler, Robert Woolsey and Dorothy Lee; the sumptuous sets and above all the beauty of Harry Tierney's music have created a cinema sensation.

John Boles, whose voice has already won him a ranking position in the talkies, sings the leading male role opposite Miss Daniels. Others in the cast include Don Alvarado, Helen Kaiser, Georges Renevan and Miss Rosita.

Many of the beautiful chorus of 100 girls in "Rio Rita" were in the original Ziegfeld stage production and helped make the "Kinkajou" famous.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



Across

- The Arctic explorer "is calm. Ice at" every point does not disturb him (anag).
- Two prepositions make another.
- The science that deals with skin.
- A preposition is in the way.
- A serpent limping can be seen in the streets of any city.
- This bundle includes you and me.
- Love, in France.
- Has this, to hurry on.
- This convulsive twitching is very cold.
- A town in Portugal.
- Infect—though, vulgarly, it isn't.
- Not this month.
- Footwear with a Russian look, this sounds feminine.
- This London suburb is brightness itself.
- A colourful part of the Liturgy.
- With the face of the moon before us we can almost examine in detail.
- This prohibition may be made to end.
- Drunken revels.
- These propellers may fly aloft.
- The "holy can't pry" into witchcraft (anag).

Down

- Masticate beheaded is shape.
- There are three fruits of this kind in a league.
- Teams supply comrades.
- Al, he's a fervent reformer—nut steaks, cheese cutlets, lentil thimgames, and so on (hidden).
- A signature.
- Here an insect suffered agony—struggled violently against.
- "No, I fear both" hands and gloves when I go blackberrying, that's the trouble (anag).

Yesterday's Solution.

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ABOUT LOAFERS
REWARD UOUCSD
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Miss Margaret Ryder, of Argyle-road, West Ealing, left £13,064, net personality £10,834. A codicil to the will read: "If my cat, known as Thomas Dudley Ryder, is living at my death £20 a year is to be paid to some person who will undertake the charge of it and care for it and show a fondness for it."

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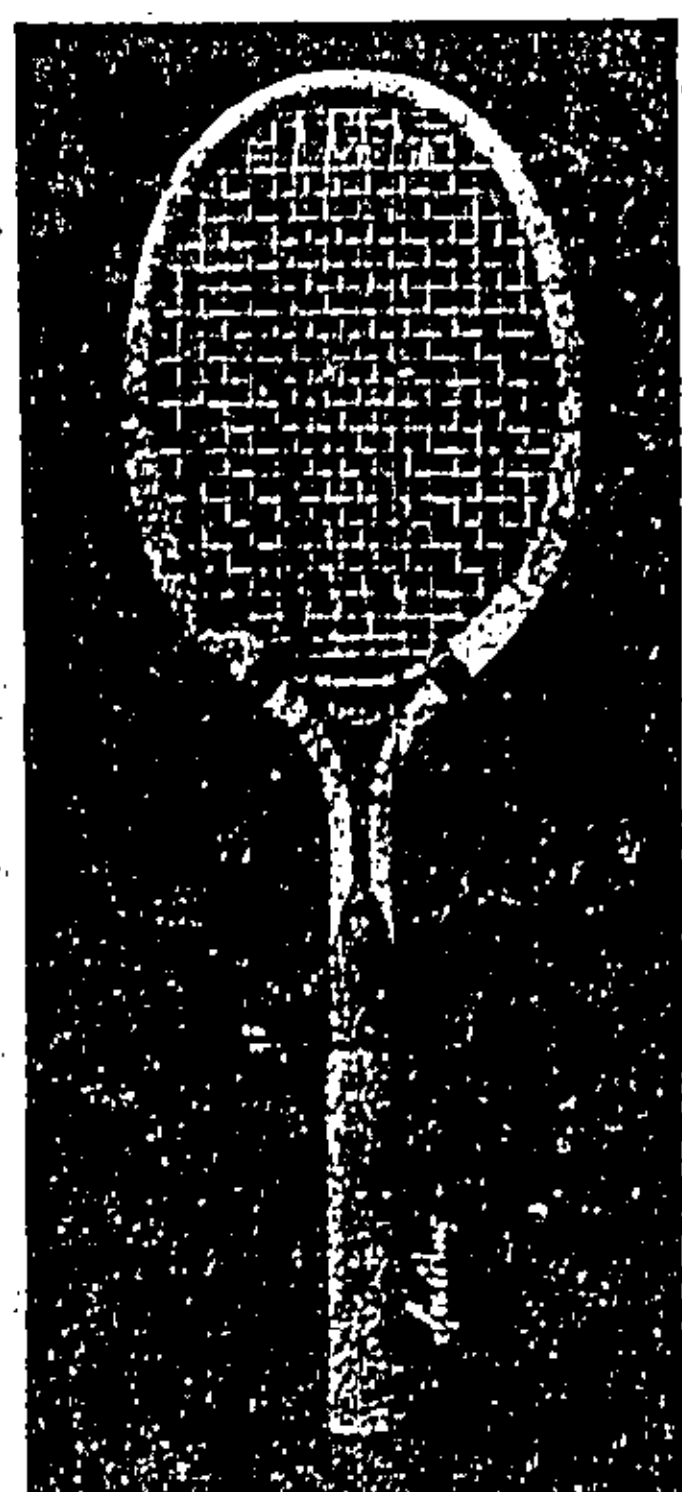
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ANNOUNCEMENT.

The engagement is announced between Miss Anna Petersen, only daughter of Colonel Hans Petersen of Berlin and Mr. Curt von Winterfeldt of Jøben & Co., Hongkong, youngest son of General and Mrs. von Winterfeldt, Berlin.

DEATH.

DIED.—At 3 a.m. this morning Anna Maria Lopes Gomes, dearly beloved wife of Augusto Conceicao Gomes at her residence No. 15, Knutsford Terrace. Funeral will pass the Monument to-day at 5.30 p.m. (Macao and Shanghai Papers please copy).

The
Hongkong Telegraph.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 23 1930.

OUR HARBOUR ASSET.

It is some years since the first was heard of the proposed development of Whampao as a rival to the port of Hongkong. Much ink was spilled by the protagonists of that scheme, and during the unhappy period of 1925 some of the commentators appeared to dip their pens in gall as they pictured Hongkong's eventual eclipse as a place of call for nearly all the shipping using the China Seas. So far as this Colony was concerned, there was no acrimonious rejoinder, for it was realised that certain natural advantages possessed by Hongkong would always retain a position of importance in sea commerce, apart from the realisation that there is nothing to prevent anyone forming a rival port nearby should it be desired. Many tides have since flowed, and much silt been deposited on the ocean bed, but the threatened rivalry has not seriously materialised. It is of interest to observe other plans for deep-water ports in South China that have been attempted or are under consideration. The Portuguese Colony of Macao has spent much money on improving its harbour, and considerable care has to be exercised constantly in order to maintain the new depth. Whampao suffers similarly, the silt coming down the Pearl River being deposited ceaselessly at these points. It is a constant war by mankind against adverse conditions imposed by natural laws. Both Macao and Whampao are unfortunately situated, and dredging can barely keep the harbours clear. So far as the Cantonese port is concerned, there is a very big expenditure of funds to be faced before any further worth-while improvements can be effected.

Two other plans in view are worthy of note. Publication was made yesterday of a scheme for

finding a good harbour in Hainan island. It was pointed out in the report that a survey of various places had resulted negatively. Holhow is not adapted to deep-draught shipping, and other places on the island coast are unpromising. Then, there was the big plan for a free port at Tong Ka Wan, sponsored by the veteran statesman Mr. Tang Shao-yi. The plans were grandiose, and invitations were received here for the opening ceremony. The project has apparently been held up, owing to lack of funds, and it is not certain when it will be revived. There was talk at the time of Tong Ka becoming a "rival" to Hongkong. The creation of new harbours and free ports in our vicinity may certainly divert a fair amount of traffic from this Colony, but it will probably be many years before the schemes in prospect have materialised. By then, Hongkong will probably have such a volume of shipping still to contend with as to consider such counter attractions with complete equanimity.

In any case, the great natural advantage of our harbour stands paramount, and it is to be presumed that no amount of expense in nearby territories can establish, and maintain, anything to equal what nature has provided here. Very little dredging is required in Hongkong. Tides are such as to disperse much of the silt that comes down-river from the mainland, and no problems of constant deepening face the Colony. With that great asset, a harbour almost unrivalled the world over, we may rest assured that our heritage is not likely to be challenged seriously for a very long time to come, if at all.

Too Timid.

There is, seemingly, no end to the ingenuity of the Conservative Party in seeking to evolve a tariff policy which it is hoped may ensure success at the next General Election. The latest bait thrown out is a suggestion by Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Chairman of the Party, to the effect that, if returned to power, the Conservatives might introduce an emergency tariff which would give British manufacturers a breathing-space while negotiations were entered into with the Dominion and foreign nations. This marks a distinct departure from Mr. Baldwin's proposals, which are that, if returned to power, the Conservatives would consult the Dominions on the tariff questions and, if a satisfactory arrangement could be reached, the matter would be referred to the country by means of a Referendum. Possibly, the cumbersome character of this proposal has by now impressed itself on the Conservative leaders, who now want more or less of a free hand until negotiations have taken place between the Dominions and foreign countries. We doubt, however, whether the specious nature of this latest idea will make any strong appeal to the electorate. The fact of the matter is that the official Conservative Party is over-given to tinkering with this fiscal question. Fallacious in many of its arguments as the Empire Free Trade crusade may be, it has at least the merit of being clear-cut and definite. The Baldwinites, however, whilst Protectionists at heart, seem to fear adopting an out-and-out programme. This shilly-shallying cannot do them any good, especially since they have to face opponents whose attitude is anything but ambiguous.

GOODS OBTAINED BY CLEVER FRAUD.

DELIVERY OF MERCHANDISE
WORTH \$1,776.

By falsely representing himself as belonging to the Yu Ling firm, of No. 47, Bonham Strand, an unknown Chinese was able to obtain delivery of three packages of merchandise, worth \$1,776, when he went on board the s.s. Cheongshing, lying in Wanchai Bay yesterday. The theft was discovered when enquiries were made by the firm in question. A report was thereupon made to the Police, who are carrying out investigations.

DAY BY DAY

THE PROVERB, "YOU CAN TAKE A HORSE TO THE WATER BUT YOU CAN'T MAKE HIM DRINK" IS ALL VERY WELL, BUT WHERE THE HUMAN RACE IS CONCERNED YOU CAN GENERALLY BRIBE HIM TO.—Hilda Forbes.

The Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd. advertise that the period during which applications can be made for shares of the New Issue by shareholders resident in the Far East, terminates on Monday, September 29.

The marriage is taking place at the Registry Office this afternoon of Mr. John Herbert Rogers, Chief Officer of the s.s. Wing On, and Miss Edith Agnes Roberts. The bride is being given away by Mr. Whitehead, whilst Dr. Bunje is the "best man."

Lam Kwai-fong (20), an unmarried woman living at the Tai Law Tin boarding house, Des Voeux Road Central, was removed to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday consequent on an attempt to take her life by drinking a disinfectant.

Two coolies were sentenced to three weeks' imprisonment each by Mr. Butters at Kowloon this morning for being in unlawful possession of four iron ship's fittings. The defendants admitted having taken the fittings from an American cargo vessel.

A Chinese named Chan Loi, who was yesterday rescued from the harbour, into which he had thrown himself from Jardine's Wharf, showed signs of insanity, and was admitted into the Mental Hospital after being first taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

The theft of an Austin Seven car from the Pedder Street stand last night is reported in a statement issued at Police Headquarters this morning. The owner, Mr. W. Lo, who lives at 103, Robinson Road, said that he left the car at the stand at 7 p.m. but found that it had vanished when he returned to the spot two hours later. The number of the vehicle is 2094.

There will be a demonstration of the properties of the well-known Foamite Firefoam to-morrow (Wednesday) at 3.30 p.m. on the Praya Reclamation behind the Wanchai fire station. One-gallon and two-gallon hand extinguishers will be used, as well as the Foamite generator (model 15) which produces a continuous supply of firefoam either for manual use or as a portable or fixed installation. It is intended to demonstrate the quick extinguishing of a big blaze of petrol and kerosene, which by ordinary means of fire fighting would defy all attempts, the oil being poured into a large pit where water would be useless, while the heat would prevent approach within 40 feet.

ON BEING ALONE.

Nobody in the world has the faintest idea where I am. For all you know—or probably care—I may be in Berlin, Moscow, Peru, or Ashby-de-la-Zouche. I have not spoken a word of English for nearly a week, and even then I have only spoken to waiters, chambermaids, taxi-drivers, and the like, whose conversation, consisting principally of negatives and affirmatives, seems to me quite enchanting, writes Beverley Nichols in the *Daily Mail*.

I have never been in this happy situation before, and it is almost the most agreeable thing that has ever happened to me. After breakfast I can sit back in my chair, in pyjamas, and smile and smile at nothing, only ceasing to smile when the waiter comes to remove the breakfast tray, in case he should think I am an idiot. (It is rather a terrible criticism of modern civilisation that persons who smile by themselves are usually hurried off to padded cells.)

I say to myself, "Nobody can possibly ring me up. Nobody. Nobody can possibly ask me to lunch, tea, cocktails, dinner, nor supper, nor to any wild and woolly party. Nobody can even ring the bell and ask if I want a vacuum cleaner, and if not, why not." Nobody can ask me when I want my bath, what suit I will wear, nor if "the men" may come in for a minute to "look at" the curtain rods. Nobody, in fact, can do anything to me at all. I am alone, in the silence.

Incredible Silence.

Such silence! It is incredible. It is not literally a silence, because in the distance I can hear the high, plaintive notes of taxis, and the rumbling of trams, while in the next room there are the sounds of a Frenchwoman making her morning toilet—a formidable and sonorous performance. No—the silence is what romantic novelists would call "the larger silence"—the silence of the spirit. For none of these sounds has anything to do with me.

I know that none of the taxis is bearing friends towards me, and I am quite certain that the Frenchwoman is not making those astonishing noises and crashes for my benefit. She is not for instance, gargling with such passion in order that she may shortly knock on my door and float, like a spring breeze, into my presence. I am nothing to her, and she is nothing to me. Nobody is, for the present.

I sit at a high, open window and look out on to a jumbled medley of rose-coloured roofs, and I realise that the only important thing in life, after health, is Time. And Time, in its full, exquisite reality, must be tasted alone. Then it ceases to be an affair of hours and dates and places. It is

a miraculous medley of light and shade, of sound and of silence. It flows on, broadly and smoothly as a river. It is no longer chopped up by a lot of tiresome little bridges and barriers.

Nowhere and Anywhere.

Just as life is calmer, so it is also more exciting. For the simple reason that I have nowhere to go I can go anywhere. If a side-street looks attractive, I go down it. I followed one yesterday, meandering down it like a stray dog. It went over a river, through slums, past two cemeteries, and then it suddenly decided to become respectable and ended in a garden, where I sat and ate cherries. Which was lunch.

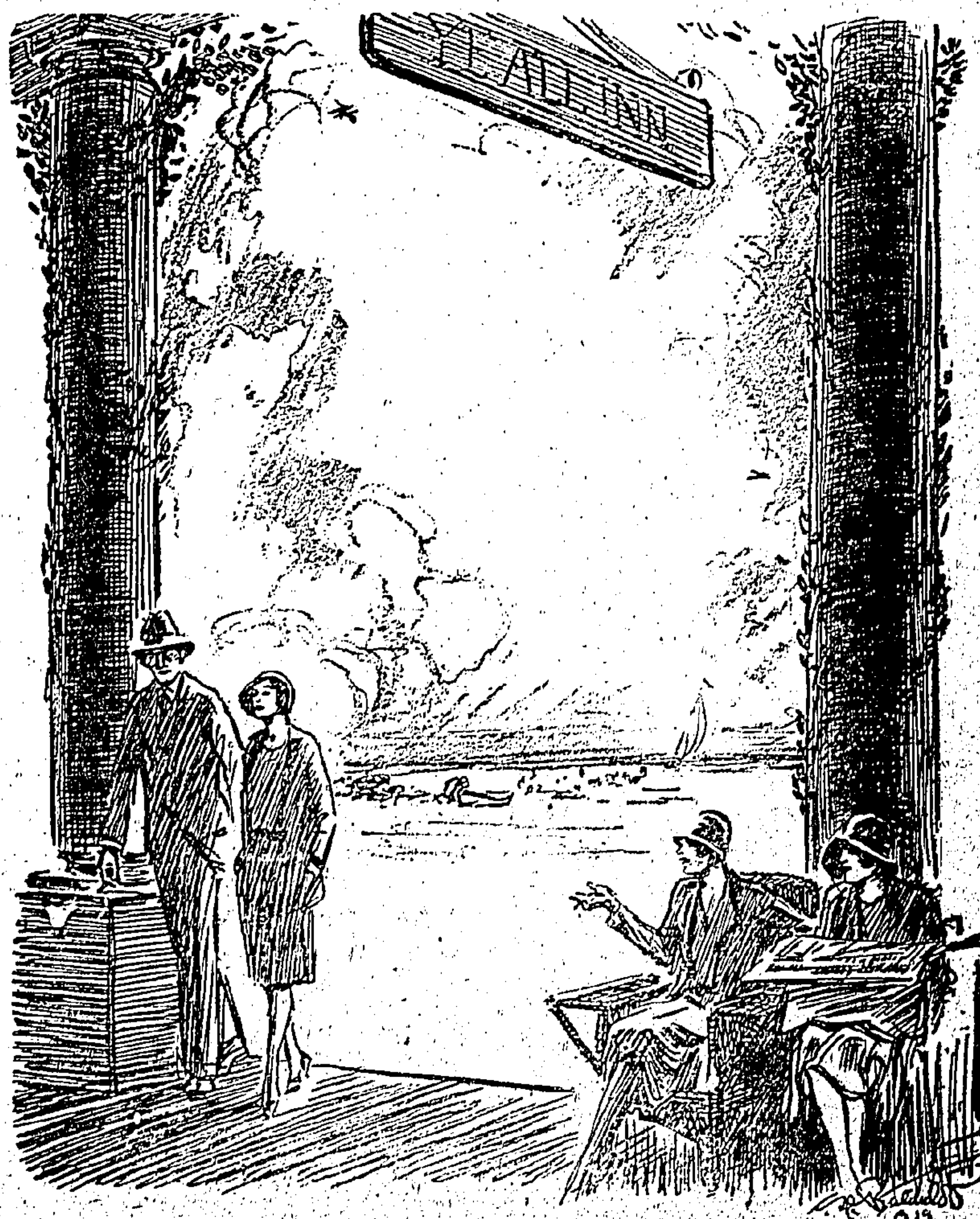
And all the time, everything in that street had seemed so vivid, just because one was not trying to reach the end of it—the bakers' shops, with men like powdered ghosts outlined against blazing fires—the antiquaries—the bars with their rows of jewelled cordials—the taxis buzzing by with very red-lipped women in large black hats—all these seemed more brightly coloured than ever before, because one was not trying to reach the end of the street. Why are we always trying to reach the end of the street?

Possible Effects.

Everybody ought to do what I am doing at least once a year. It would drive some people nearly crazy of course. Lots of white-faced girls with yellow, smoky fingers, and mauve shadows under their eyes would hurl themselves, with shrill cries, off the nearest cliffs after the first two days of complete solitude. Lots of young men who grow neurotically peevish when their speedometers register less than eighty would be found dancing round the market place with idiotic grins on their faces, quite, quite mad. I wish, all the same, that they would do it for then they would be locked up now instead of later. It is only a question of time.

Married people, emphatically, ought to do it. Some would return as lovers, others as penitents, and some would never return at all. I should imagine that women would form the majority of the latter class. Men are extremely wise to go away with their wives for holidays, because many wives, once they had tasted the bliss of solitude, would never go back to their homes. There would be tremendous competition to enter nunneries, and the boats to the remote South Sea Islands would be packed.

For, from the moment a woman marries, unless she is both very rich and unusually independent, she bids good-bye to solitude. And if she found it again—even for a few hours—well, I would not like to vouch for the consequences.



"That's Alice's brother, the LL.D."
"Ah, the other wit and a half."

**STEAMBOAT CO.'S
ARTICLES.****AMENDMENTS EXPLAINED AT
MEETING TO-DAY.****APPROVAL GIVEN.**

Formal business only was done at this morning's meeting of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd. The amendment of certain of the Company's Articles of Association, for which the meeting had been called, was passed without question.

Chairman's Speech.

Addressing the shareholders, Sir Robert Ho Tung, who presided, said:—Gentlemen,—As indicated in the notice which has just been read by the Secretary, this meeting has been convened for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, approving certain alterations in the Articles of Association of the Company.

The nature of the alterations has been fully set out in the notice, and it is unnecessary for me to go through each clause in detail. But in order to prevent any misapprehension I should like to explain rather more fully the reason for substituting a new Article 95 in the place of the existing one.

Under the existing Article, the Directors are to be paid at the rate of \$9,000 per annum, and such further sums, if any, as the Company in general meeting may from time to time determine, such remuneration to be divided among them in such proportions as they may determine, and in default of such determination, equally between them. In 1924, the number of Directors was nine and the practice had been to divide the \$9,000 between the nine directors.

At the ordinary yearly meeting of the Company held on the 1st February, 1924, it was duly proposed and seconded and unanimously passed, that the fees of the Directors be raised from \$1,000 to \$1,500 per annum for each Director, and \$2,500 for the Chairman of the Board of Directors. The proposer at that time pointed out that the then scale of remuneration had been in force for over twenty-one years.

Not Legal.

Ever since 1924, and in pursuance of the resolution of the general meeting above mentioned, each Director has been receiving \$1,500 per annum and the Chairman \$2,500 per annum. The Company's solicitors have advised that, although the resolution above mentioned would be valid as evidencing an intention to increase the Directors' remuneration, it was not in legal form in so far as it purported to give a fixed sum to each Director, as this would be contrary to the provisions of Article 95.

The object therefore of the proposed new Article 95 is to regularise and to give effect to the resolution of the shareholders in 1924 which has been acted on ever since.

Unusual Clause.

Article 18 provides that no person shall be entitled to be registered as the holder of more than 8,000 shares of the Company. This clause is rather unusual in articles of public companies in this Colony, and your Board considers that no useful purpose will be served by retaining it. It is therefore proposed to delete this clause from the Articles, and it is also proposed to amend by removing the restriction on voting in Article 79.

The proposed Article 92 (a) is new. Its provisions are to be found in many articles of public companies in this Colony, and your Board considers such provisions useful for our Company.

I do not think there is anything further with which I need deal, but if any shareholder desires to ask any questions, or seek any explanation, I shall be pleased to answer such questions, and to give such explanation, to the best of my ability.

The motion was seconded by the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga and unanimously approved.

The Directors present comprised Sir Robert Ho Tung (chairman), Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, Messrs. M. K. Lo, R. K. Batchelor, Li Tse-fong and C. A. da Roza, Mr. J. Arnold (Secretary) and Mr. R. C. MacNamara (solicitor). Shareholders present were Messrs. M. Fernandes, Tai Tung-pin, Ho Kom-tong, Ho Leung, Ho Po-sang, Wai Tat and Kwan Suen.

Flying in England to-day is about four times as safe as it was five years ago, according to figures on British air fatalities. Between 1925 and 1929, 1,297,000 miles were flown in this country for every accident involving death or injury to the occupants of a plane. The figure for the previous five years was one accident to every 357,000 miles.

**DAIRY FARM CO.
CAPITAL.**

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Company's Share Register as the holders of the said 200,000 issued shares at a premium of \$7.50 per share and so that on acceptance of the offer the nominal value due in respect of such new shares plus the said premium of \$7.50 per share (making \$15.00 per share) shall be payable in full. Such new shares (when allotted) shall rank for dividend as from the First day of January, 1931, and in all other respects *pari passu* with the shares constituting the Company's present issued capital.

(b) That such offer as aforesaid be made by notice specifying the number of new shares to which the member is entitled and limiting the time or times within which the offer is not accepted by the member either on behalf of such member or his nominee will be deemed to be declined and that the Directors be at liberty to fix such respective times and to extend such time or times to such date or dates and upon such terms as they may think fit and further that any of the said 50,000 new shares which shall not be taken up by the Company's shareholders in manner aforesaid be disposed of in such manner as such terms as the Company's Directors shall in their absolute discretion see fit.

(c) That no shareholder shall be entitled to claim for a fraction of an additional new share in respect of any odd share held by him.

(d) That the remaining 50,000 new shares constituting the Company's unissued capital be issued at such time or times in such manner and for such purposes and upon such terms and conditions in every respect as the Company's Board of Directors may decide.

Mr. B. W. Bradbury seconded the resolution, which was unanimously adopted, and this concluded the business.

Mr. Warren, in the chair, was supported by Messrs. T. E. Pearce, A. B. Stewart, J. Owen Hughes and Dr. Koch (Directors), Mr. A. Stevenson (Manager) and Mr. M. Manuk (Secretary), whilst shareholders present were Messrs. O. F. Ribeiro, B. W. Bradbury, Leung Yan-po, Chan Pun-kow and Chan Lai-pan.

**FREE VISAS FOR THE
PHILIPPINES.****A MUTUAL CONCESSION TO
HONGKONG.**

We are officially informed that the American Consulate General has received instructions from the Department of State of the American Government, to issue gratis passport visas to British subjects domiciled in the Colony of Hongkong who are not immigrants, and who desire temporarily to visit the Philippine Islands from Hongkong.

This authorization has been made on the understanding that the British Consul General in Manila does not require passport visas for Philippine citizens or American citizens resident in the Philippine Islands who are proceeding on a temporary visit to Hongkong. Gratis passport visas will therefore be issued to British subjects domiciled in the Colony of Hongkong temporarily visiting the Philippine Islands so long as Philippine citizens and American citizens are not required to present British visas from Manila, or if so required, are issued gratis visas for the purpose of visiting Hongkong.

**TRANSPORT WORKERS'
FEDERATION.****INTERNATIONALISM URGED
FOR WORKERS' GOOD.**

London, Sept. 22.

The biennial Congress of the International Transport Workers' Federation opened at Caxton Hall this morning. Thirty-five countries are represented including India, Palestine and all European countries except Russia.

This is the first time the Congress has met in Great Britain since the War.

Mr. C. T. Cramp, in his presidential address said that internationalism and not nationalism was the best method of promoting the interests of the workers.—*Reuter.*

**HELP TO POLICE
REWARDED.****SILVER SHIELD FOR MR.
AARON FEIN.**

Shanghai, Sept. 22.

An interesting ceremony was held this morning at the office of the Commissioner of Police when Mr. Aaron Fein, who helped the police to find the murderer of the late Mr. C. S. Goddard, on July 19

**WANCHAI MOTOR
INCIDENT.****EUROPEAN FINED FOR
"CUTTING IN."****LADY'S EXPERIENCE.**

Mr. L. J. J. Caron, of the Netherlands Trading Society, appeared before Mr. Lindsell at the Central Police Court this morning on a summons taken out at the instigation of Lieut. Col. T. A. Robertson accusing him of negligent driving in Wanchai on September 11 at 8.30 a.m.

The defendant entered a plea of not guilty.

The facts, according to the police, were that the defendant, who was driving motor car No. 681, overtook a car driven by Mrs. E. J. R. Mitchell. The defendant cut in front of the other vehicle and was so close that Mrs. Mitchell had to apply her brakes to avoid an accident. There was also another car approaching in the opposite direction.

Giving evidence, Mrs. Mitchell mentioned that she was just passing the Wanchai Market and approaching the bend in the road, when a car, after the horn had been sounded, passed her. She applied the footbrake and pulled up within a foot to avoid an accident should the overtaking car swerve. It did not, however, swerve, but went straight on. There was a car approaching in the opposite direction, but witness did not think that the defendant could have seen that vehicle.

In reply to the defendant, witness intimated that there was sufficient room for three cars to pass at that

INDISPOSED.

Herbert Hoover, Jr., eldest son of the U.S. President, who is to undergo special treatment for tuberculosis.

particular spot, provided the roadway was absolutely clear. Under ordinary conditions, she did not think it was safe.

The defendant asked witness if she thought it was fair to hold up the traffic by travelling at a speed of ten miles an hour.

Mrs. Mitchell replied that she was travelling at 15 miles an hour. Her car could not comfortably travel at ten miles an hour in top gear.

In reply to his Worship, the defendant said he admitted the facts, but argued that it was not dangerous to pass a car at that point.

His Worship said that it was, in fact, the most dangerous and narrowest portion of Queen's Road at the spot where the incident occurred.

The defendant said he was afraid he disagreed with that.

His Worship:—I entirely disagree with you. I say it is not safe to overtake a car there unless you can absolutely see the road ahead. You admit the facts, but hold that it is not dangerous, while I hold that it is dangerous. You are fined \$10.

A fine of \$5 was imposed on Mr. C. Gee, driver of motor car No. 1067 for allowing his vehicle to cause an obstruction in Pedder Street by parking it between the white lines opposite the Hongkong Hotel, thus obstructing pedestrian traffic at that point.

last, was presented with a silver shield inscribed: "Presented to Aaron Fein in appreciation of valuable assistance rendered by him to the Municipal Police on July 19, 1930."

The coolie who committed the murder was executed by strangling five days ago. The murder occurred at No. 629 North Szechuen Road.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

**CHANGE-OVER IN THE
NORTH.**

(Continued from Page 1.)

Northern Triumph.

Viewing the northern developments from all sides, observers predict that the occupation of Peking and Tientsin will mean a triumph for the Peiyang or Northern militarists of whom General Chang Hsueh-liang, now claims to be the chief promoter.

In his demands to the Feng-Yen group, General Chang Hsueh-liang suggests a peace conference at Peking or Mukden and simultaneously he agreed to permit the Shansi forces to withdraw peacefully from Chihli Province.

Techow Retreat.

Over thirty thousand Shansi troops stationed at Techow, on the Shanlung-Chihli frontier, are making preparations for a general retreat back to Shansi. The Manchurian Government is sending an army of 120,000 men into China Proper, when over 60,000 Manchurians will be stationed along the Peking-Tientsin and Tientsin-Pukow Railways.

Peking messages state that the Shansi forces have almost completed their withdrawal, which includes all members of the Government, who have left for Taiyuan-fu, where the Enlarged Kuomintang Plenary Session will continue to function.

Take Over Delayed.

Peking, Sept. 22.

The Manchurian troops did not arrive to-day as expected and it is now stated that they will take over control of the city to-morrow.

A Manchurian armoured train is believed to be at Yangtsun and another has gone along the Tientsin-Pukow line to Techow; it is believed. A cavalry brigade is going to Peking by road from Shan-hai-kwan.

Preparations are being made to station troops in various places, in temples and barracks in and around Peking.

The members of the enlarged Plenary Session left Peking early on Saturday. They returned later and held a meeting on Saturday afternoon and left again yesterday. All the members of the Hopei Provincial Government left yesterday except two who are standing by to effect the transfer to the new owners.

Several newspapers subsidised by Shansi have closed down and their staffs have departed. The so-called State Bank has posted a notice stating that from to-day they are removing to Taiyuan-fu where they will carry on as usual.

Yen Hsi-shan has wired to the authorities here saying that the despatch of the Manchurian troops is not a hostile move towards the Northeners, hence all officials must carry on pending the Manchurians' arrival and then hand over without a hitch.—*Reuter.*

Other Information.

Tientsin, Sept. 22.

Former Tientsin Customs staff, numbering one hundred and eighty persons, who were ousted by Marshal Yen Hsi-shan are expected to return to work to-day. The attitude of Mr. Lenox Simpson is not known.—*Reuter.*

Mukden's Proclamation.

Tientsin, Sept. 22.

Tientsin, to-day, is entirely denuded of Shansi troops and Mukden now has complete control.

The change over was accomplished in the most orderly manner, the Manchurians looking on from one platform of the Central Station while the Shansi-ites left from another.

For the present the majority of the newly arrived soldiers are being confined to the railway premises with the exception of two or three trainloads who have already followed in the wake of the Shansi-ites to Peking.

It is indicative of the desire to avoid unpleasantness that the Manchurian commanders have ordered the removal of a number of offensive anti-Shansi posters which appeared in the city yesterday, and have posted proclamations announcing that Mukden's intention is merely the preservation of order and the safeguarding of the public interests and the eventual establishment of peace in China.

The situation in the city and the concessions continued very quiet all night long and only in the Japanese concession, which borders on the city, were any precautions taken. Japanese soldiers standing guard at the boundaries.

Probable Customs Changes.

With the local change of government the return of numerous official Nanking appointees, who were ousted by Shansi, is now expected and it is believed that changes will occur in the heads of the Customs, Telegraphs and other Government Departments.

The old Customs staff were ordered to attend in full strength at the Customs Club this morning but they finally dispersed as nothing definite has yet been arranged. In the meanwhile, Mr. Lenox Simpson who is still carrying on as Commissioner of Customs, in an interview stated that he has received no instructions and therefore is unable to make any statement as to the likelihood of any changes.—*Reuter.*

**ICE CO. ANNUAL
MEETING.****CANTON HOUSEHOLDERS YET
TO BE EDUCATED.****THE YEAR'S PROFITS.**

Presiding at the ninth ordinary general meeting of the Hongkong and Canton Ice Manufacturing Co., Ltd., this morning, Mr. J. P. Warren stated that the Company had arranged the distribution of ice through the Dairy Farm, Ice and Cold Storage Company's compradore, and the results had so far justified the step. He remarked that the average householder in Canton had not yet learned to appreciate the benefits of ice for the preservation of food, and the sale to householders was therefore practically nil.

Chairman's Speech.

Addressing the shareholders, the Chairman said:—Gentlemen,—The report and accounts having been in your hands for some days I shall with your permission take them as read. The Auditors' Report reads as follows:—"We report that we have audited the above Balance Sheet with the books and vouchers of the Company in Hongkong and have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. In our opinion the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs on the 31st July, 1930, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Company. Shameen Lot No. 20 is still held in trust by The Dairy Farm Ice & Cold Storage Co., Ltd., pending formal transfer to this Company."

During the period under review as stated in my speech last year, we made various attempts through various channels to improve the sale of ice and I am glad to say that we have now arranged the distribution through the Dairy Farm Ice & Cold Storage Company's compradore and the results so far have justified the step taken and we hope to be able to show better results next year. The consumption of ice in Canton is very small as the average householder has not yet learned to appreciate the benefits of ice for the preservation of food, the sale of ice to householders is therefore practically nil.

You will observe from the accounts that during the year we made a profit on working of \$15,498.56, but the whole of this amount has been appropriated as shown in the Profit & Loss Account and a further sum of \$1,918.03 utilised from the balance brought forward from the last statement of accounts after the reduction of the capital, thus leaving \$7,595.57 at the credit of Profit & Loss Account to be carried forward to next year's Account.

For the first time, a provision has been made to pay the Directors and the General Managers. The General Managers have not exercised their right to collect the full annual fee of \$4,800 in respect of office expenses.

During the year Mr. Coxon having left the Colony, Mr. A. B. Stewart was invited to fill the vacancy.

The Plant and Machinery is maintained in good order and condition.

With these few remarks I beg to propose that the report and accounts as submitted be adopted and passed.

Mr. Ho Kom-tong seconded the adoption of the report and accounts and the motion was carried unanimously.

Other Business.

On the proposition of Mr. A. Macfarlane, seconded by Mr. Chan Lai-pan, Messrs. A. B. Stewart and Ho Kom-tong were re-elected to the Board of Directors, and Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming were re-appointed auditors, on the motion of Mr. A. Stevenson, seconded by Mr. Leung Yan-po.

Supporting the Chairman were Messrs. Ho Kom-long, A. B. Stewart and Leung Yan-po (directors), A. Stevenson (General Manager) and M. Manuk (Secretary). Shareholders present were Messrs. A. Macfarlane, Chan Lai-pan and Chan Pun-kow.

A 50-passenger monoplane is being built in London and is expected to be finished by the end of the summer. It will be powered by six engines and will have a non-stop range of 2,000 miles. The engines, it is said, will develop 5,000 horse-power. They are being built by Rolls Royce.

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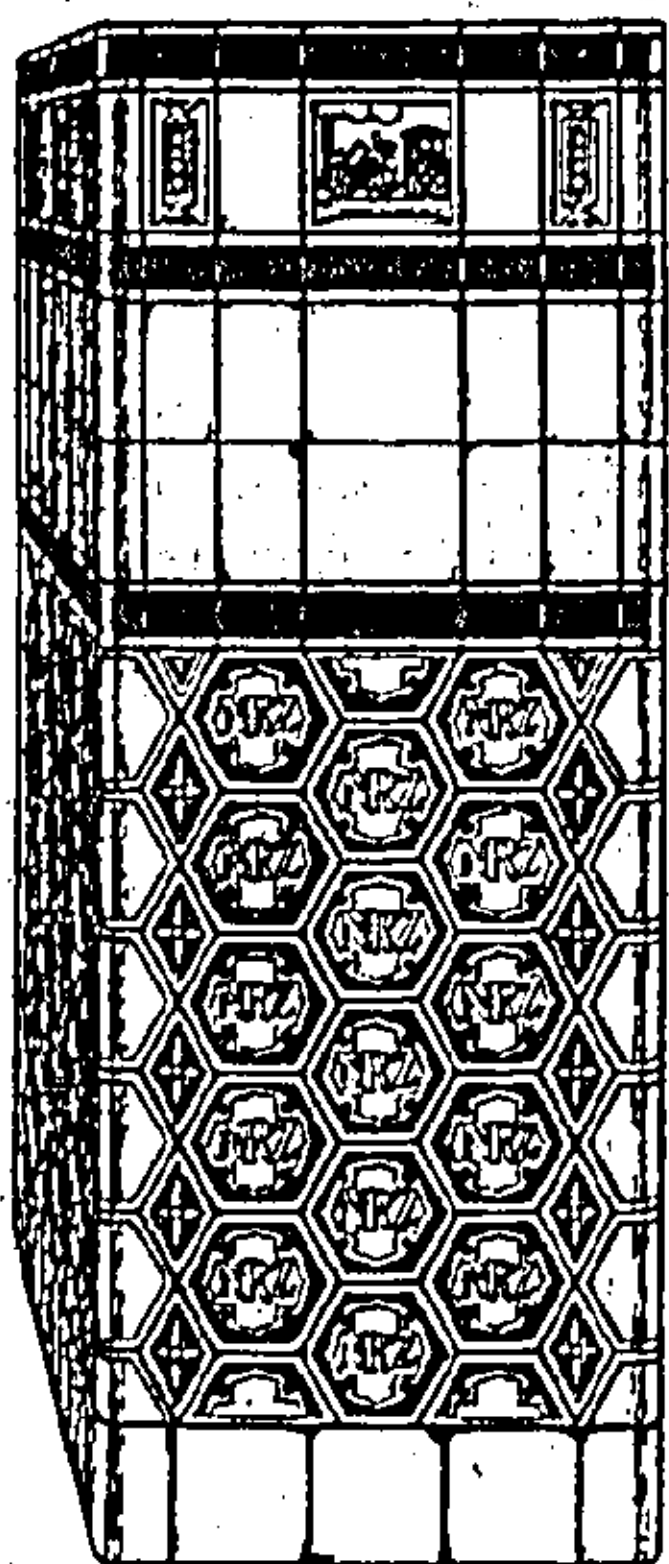
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TREVESSA TROPHY.

MAUSANG WINS RACE A SECOND TIME.

Obtaining a good start, the Jardine steamer Mausang took the lead and easily won the fourteenth bi-annual race for the Trevesa Trophy, which sailed yesterday afternoon. Another feather in the cap of the Indo-China Navigation Company was the fact that their only other entry, the Hop, came in second, followed closely by the Dutch vessel Tjikembang.

Eight boats took part in the race as compared with six in the last, which was held in March. Messrs. Butterfield and Swire had the most entries, sending in three boats, followed by Jardine's, which sent in two, Douglas, J.C.J.L., and the Kowloon Dock Company with one each.

All the entries completed the course, and the following is their order of finish:

1. Mausang (Mr. H. G. Goddard), Jardine's.
2. Hopsang (Mr. Pethick), Jardine's.
3. Tjikembang (Mr. G. Rolyk), J.C.J.L.
4. Haiching (Mr. R. Perry, O.B.E.), Douglas.
5. Chengtu (Capt. Thomas), B. & S.
6. Henry Keswick (Capt. R. G. Groundwater), Kowloon Dock.
7. Kalgan (Mr. Well), B. & S.
8. Sunning (Mr. R. B. C. Lee), B. & S.

The duties of umpires were carried out by Rear-Admiral R.A.S. Hill, R.N., Comdr. J. B. Newill, D.S.O., R.N., Capt. Johnston (Marine Superintendent of B. & S.), and Capt. Skinner (Marine Superintendent of Jardine's). The starters were Mr. A. L. Shield, Mr. C. E. L. Grist, and Mr. E. W. Carpenter, and the time-keeper was Chief Yeoman of Signals J. Butland.

The usual course was followed, the boats starting from the line at Channel Rock, to Kowloon Rock, back to mark boats at the Yacht Club, then to Cust Rock buoy, and returning to the finishing line at the Yacht Club.

Mausang Takes Lead.

Conditions were favourable during the first part of the race, with the result that after a good start, all the boats found it pretty easy going. Kowloon Rock. The Mausang boat took the lead right from the commencement, and as a matter of fact, was going so well as the race progressed that it never looked like being overtaken.

The Hopsang, Haiching and the Tjikembang were following the Mausang but although they were out-paced, they hung on grimly. The Henry Keswick, Kalgan and Sunning were more or less bunched together, with Chengtu bringing up the rear.

The Mausang was increasing its lead all the time and rounded Kowloon Rock a good distance in front of the Hopsang, which was in turn some yards ahead of the Haiching, with the Tjikembang following closely. The Chengtu was a long way behind and was the last to go round the Rock.

The race became very interesting at this stage. The leaders, Mausang and the Hopsang, were drawing away, but the fight for third, fourth and fifth places assumed a very interesting aspect. The Tjikembang, which rounded Kowloon Rock some distance behind the Haiching, was going very strongly, and slowly but surely overtaking the Haiching, which was at this time not making much head-way.

Another B. & S. boat moved up to the Haiching, which was trying hard to keep fourth place. Interest was centred on the fight these two were putting up, with the result that the spurt of the game little Henry Keswick went almost unnoticed. Hitherto lying well back, this boat forged ahead opposite the Kowloon Dock as if recognising for the first time the familiar picture before and realising that something must be done, and gradually crept up with the Haiching and the other boat. With its sails making most of whatever breeze there was, it overtook both these boats and took fourth place for a time.

The Chengtu was still lying well back and it was adjudged that half a mile separated the Mausang from this boat.

At the Yacht Club mark, the Mausang was still in the lead, and the Hopsang was about 200 yards behind, followed by the Tjikembang, which was another 100 yards in the rear. While rounding this mark, the Kalgan was unfortunate to foul the stern rope of the boat which formed the mark, with the result it lost a lot of ground.

The Last Lap.

The last lap was rather interesting in that a strong flood tide and the direction of the wind made the going difficult. The leading boats, which had their sails up, found that the wind carried them off the course, and more than half of the last lap was made without the assistance of the sails.

The most interesting feature of the end of the race was the progress made by the Chengtu, which was lying last for the most part of the race. She came up very strongly near the finish, so much so that she overtook a few boats and finished fifth.

The Mausang passed the finishing line at 4.50 p.m., the Hopsang being five minutes behind and the Tjikembang another two minutes.

Mr. Goddard who was cox of the Mausang, told a representative of the S. C. M. Post after the race that his crew comprised of the same men who rowed it to victory in the last race with the exception of one.

PROMISING FORM.

CRICKET MATCH AT THE UNIVERSITY.

Victory by 51 runs was scored by the Diocesan Boys' School cricket team against the University second eleven at the University on Saturday. Several showed good form with the bat and ball but the fielding was poor.

University, batting first, knocked out 108 runs mainly to Sill and H. Normanbhoj, who contributed 27 and 19 respectively. Others who reached double figures were Scully (16) and A. Kyum-and Chan Fook (13 each). Wood proved most useful in the attack and secured five wickets for 44 while Reed obtained two for 13.

The feature of the school's 157 was F. R. Zimmer's solid 41 and V. White (25) and Youngs (24) also stood out. E. Wood was going well when at 20 he put his leg in front. Everyone except the wicketkeeper had a turn with the ball for University and Yeoh secured the most wickets. His figures were three for 32, while A. T. Normanbhoj finished with two for 18. H. Normanbhoj, Young and Scully were responsible for the other three wickets.

Volunteers v. K.C.C.

The following teams will meet in the opening match of the Volunteers cricket season at the Navy ground at 11 a.m. sharp, on Sunday, 28th September, between the K.C.C. and the H.K.V.D.C.

K.C.C.—W. Brace (Capt.), E. C. Fincher, J. C. Lynn, F. Zimmer, E. P. Fincher, S. Jex, F. E. Lawrence, W. Hung, F. E. Skinner, G. C. Burnett, F. S. W. Smith.
H.K.V.D.C.—E. J. R. Mitchell (Capt.), Capt. W. H. G. Goater, A. Reid, A. C. Beck, J. E. Richardson, K. H. Ratzer, E. R. West, R. M. Wood, B. L. Stock, J. P. Whitham, P. W. J. Planner.

I.R.C. Teams for Saturday.

The following will represent the I.R.C. in their match against the University on Saturday at Sookunpoo:

A. A. Rumjahn (Capt.), A. el Arculli, B. Iranee, A. R. Minu, A. K. Minu, S. A. Ismail, J. S. A. Curreen, F. Pereira, M. R. Abbas, O. Ismail and J. M. A. Rumjahn. Reserve: A. R. Abbas.

The following will represent the Indians against the Varsity 2nd XI to be played on the University ground, Pokfulam, on Saturday, Sept. 27, commencing at 2 p.m. sharp:

F. M. el Arculli (Captain), J. S. Ackher, H. T. M. Barma, A. R. S. Ismail, S. Ismail, Sirdar Khan, M. P. Madar, D. Kichammed, A. M. Rumjahn, A. R. Sufiad and A. S. Sufiad. Reserve: T. Hamet.

PING PONG RESULTS.

MORE MATCHES IN LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

In the Ladies' Ping Pong Championship the match between Miss Wong Sul-lan, last year's runner-up, and Mrs. K. Gonzalez, has been postponed. The other matches played last weekend resulted as follows:—Miss Yeung Wai-lun (last year's champion) beat Miss Yu Man-yang 2 sets to 1; Miss Wong Oi-lan beat Miss Lai Chui-wan, 3-0.

The following is a further list of matches in the Men's Championship: Sept. 23 Wong Tung-hoi v. Siu Sik-chuen (Eastern A. A.); Sept. 25, Leung Lin-chuen v. Wong Kam-hay (Eastern A. A.); Sept. 26, Lai Yiu-chau v. Lai Wai-hoong (Chinese Catholic Club); Ho Choe-keung v. R. Chon (Chinese Catholic Club); Sept. 28, Ko Yau-cheong v. Kam Chan-man (South China A. A.); Sept. 30, Chan Ying-ding v. Loong Fung-sang (Eastern A. A.).

At the conclusion of the race, those present gathered in the bar of the Yacht Club where Rear-Admiral Hill, after a short speech, presented the Trophy to Mr. P. Tod and a memento to Mr. Goddard. Rear Admiral Hill said he was very glad to be present and that he had watched the race with great interest. He congratulated Mr. Goddard on winning the race for the second time, and also the Indo-China Navigation Company, another one of those boats had obtained second place.

Mr. P. Tod, of Jardine's, replied, saying that he had great pleasure in accepting the Trophy. He was glad that Mr. Goddard had won the race again, and expressed the hope that another of the Company's boats would win it next year.

Continuing, Mr. Tod said that thanks were due to the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club for organising this race every year. He assured the members of the Club that their work was very much appreciated by the shipping community.

Before the gathering broke up, three cheers were given for Rear-Admiral Hill.

It is interesting to note that the following boats have won the Trophy: 1914/15 J.C.J.L. Tilsona Mr. Maclellan; 1915/16 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1916/17 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1917/18 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1918/19 J.C.J.L. Tilsona Mr. W. Cooper; 1919/20 J.C.J.L. Tilsona Mr. W. Cooper; 1920/21 J.C.J.L. Tilsona Mr. W. Cooper; 1921/22 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1922/23 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1923/24 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1924/25 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1925/26 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1926/27 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1927/28 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1928/29 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1929/30 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper; 1930/31 Douglas Hal Hong Mr. W. Cooper.

THE KOWLOON FOOT- BALL CLUB.

ANNUAL REPORT & BALANCE SHEET.

The annual report of the Committee of the Kowloon Football Club states: Your Committee have pleasure in submitting their Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending August 31st, 1930.

Committee.—During the Season the following members resigned their seats on the Committee, on leaving the Colony: Messrs. R. Hall, W. E. Bell, J. S. Beach, R. Summerhayes, G. Walker and the following members were invited to fill the vacancies: Messrs. W. H. Hill, J. S. Clarke, F. C. Clemon and G. W. C. Bond.

Finance.—After allowing 10% depreciation on the Pavilion, Furniture, and Tennis Courts and writing off bad debts to the value of \$654.82, there remains a profit of \$763.47 on the year's working, which, considering the amount expended on improvements may be considered very satisfactory. The accounts have been audited by Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews.

Membership.—The membership of the Club stands at 455 as against 455 a year ago. 106 new members have been elected, 37 resigned, 4 died and 36 have been struck off for financial reasons.

Your Committee record with deep regret the deaths of Messrs. E. J. Cotton, J. C. Hill, J. W. Pridaux and J. Schofield.

Football.—During the Season under review both teams met with varying fortunes, with their players and although the standard of play was quite good we missed the team's colours in the final of the premier event for the first time for eight years. A team visited Macao for the first time during the season and returned after a splendid game with the Union Club of Macao. The result of league games played are as under:

	P.	W.	D.	L.	For	Against
First XI	20	1	10	33	21	17
Second XI	24	9	11	31	21	21

Ground.—The ground at the present moment is in superb condition, better in fact than in previous years owing to the thorough top dressing, raising and returning it has had during the wet season.

Club House.—The Club House has been re-decorated throughout and minor improvements in and around the house made, and the approach from Chatham Road to the Club House has been re-surfaced and guttering made for draining it.

Tennis.—This section has again demonstrated its popularity, and as many as 32 players have played in a single day's tournament.

The following tournaments were run during the off season:

Singles Championship. Winner B. Guest. Runner up C. Pile.
Gents Doubles. Winners Pengelly and Jackson.
Mixed Doubles. Winners Mr. and Mrs. Pengelly.

Four American tournaments were run during the season and proved to be highly popular.

General.—Your Committee deemed it advisable to revise certain rules, particularly those relating to the finance of the Club, and you will be asked to give your assent to the alteration of them at the annual general meeting.

POLO TOURNAY.

CIVILIANS' FINE DISPLAY IN SECOND ROUND.

Playing a very fine game, the Civilians won a big victory over Headquarters when they scored five goals to nil in the polo match at Causeway Bay last evening, in the second round for the K.O.Y.L.I. Cup. Of the five, Mr. Heard, headed the list with three, the two remaining ones being shot by Mr. Stanton.

The teams were as follow:

Headquarters.—Col. Brownrigg, Col. Savile, Major Clark and Mr. Baskerville-Glegg.

Civilians.—Mr. Heard, Mr. Newbiggin, Mr. Gordon and Mr. Stanton.

First Chukka.—Play was carried to the military end of the field from the start, and a fine forehead shot by Mr. Stanton gave the Civilians their first goal. Mid-field play ensued, with Mr. Stanton "all there." There was no further score, however, and the chukka ended with the Civilians in possession of their opening score.

Second Chukka.—Getting away with the ball, at the beginning of the second chukka, Mr. Newbiggin just missed a good shot. Shortly afterwards, Mr. Heard had his opportunity, and getting ahead of the field, sent a fine long hitting was witnessed on the part of Mr. Baskerville-Glegg, whose play was made conspicuous on that account. A goalless chukka, Mr. Newbiggin had to retire towards the end, owing to his having sustained concussion from his fall earlier on.

Fourth Chukka.—Very sportingly, the military team in the next chukka played an even three, so as to level up matters, Mr. Baskerville-Glegg, one of their best members, standing out. This very sporting gesture was much appreciated by their opponents.

In the final chukka, Col. Savile had very bad luck with a long shot. After some mid-field play, Mr. Stanton scored his second goal for the Civilians with a good forehead shot. The whistle blew shortly afterwards with the scores standing as follows: Civilians, 5; Headquarters, 0.



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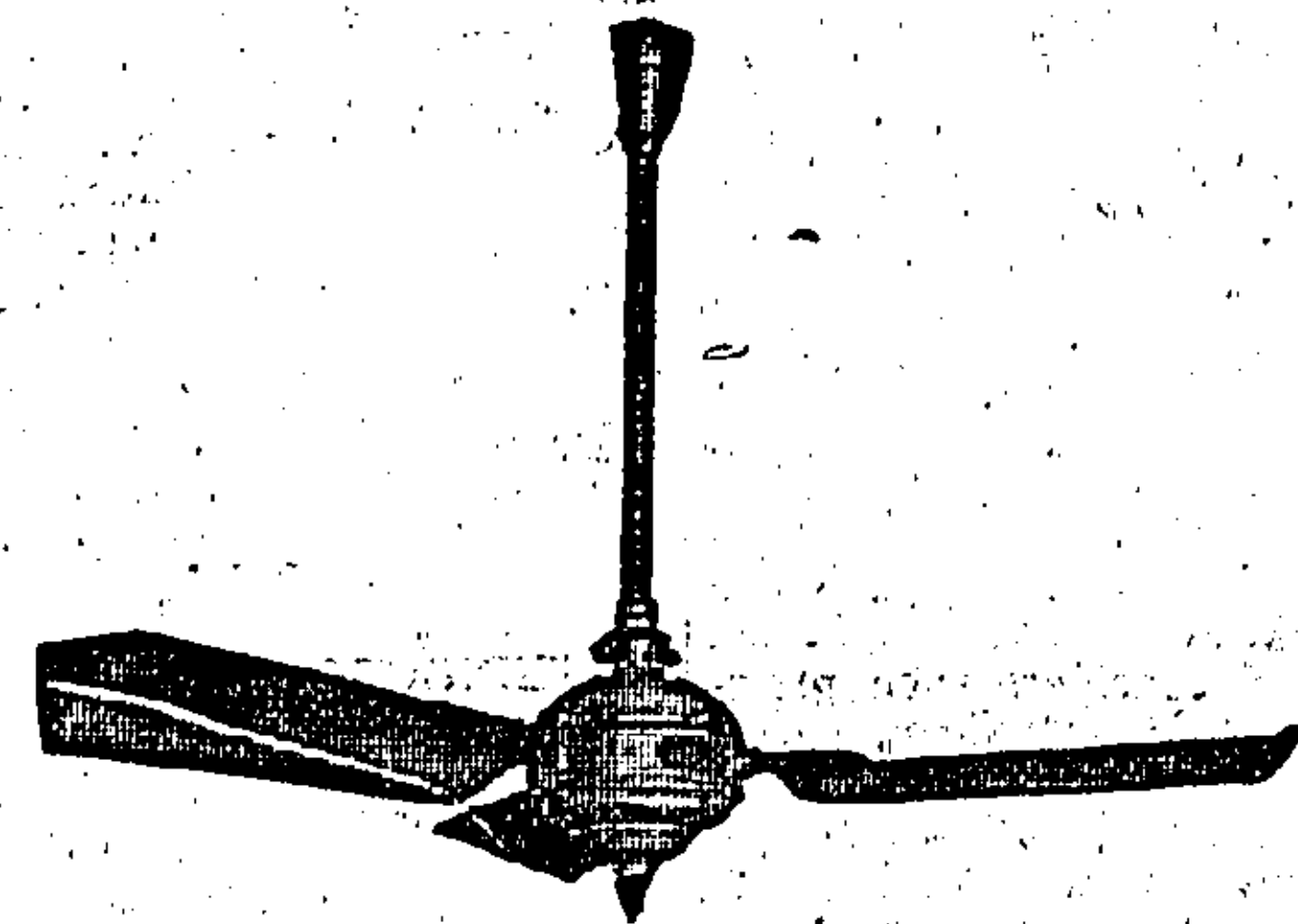
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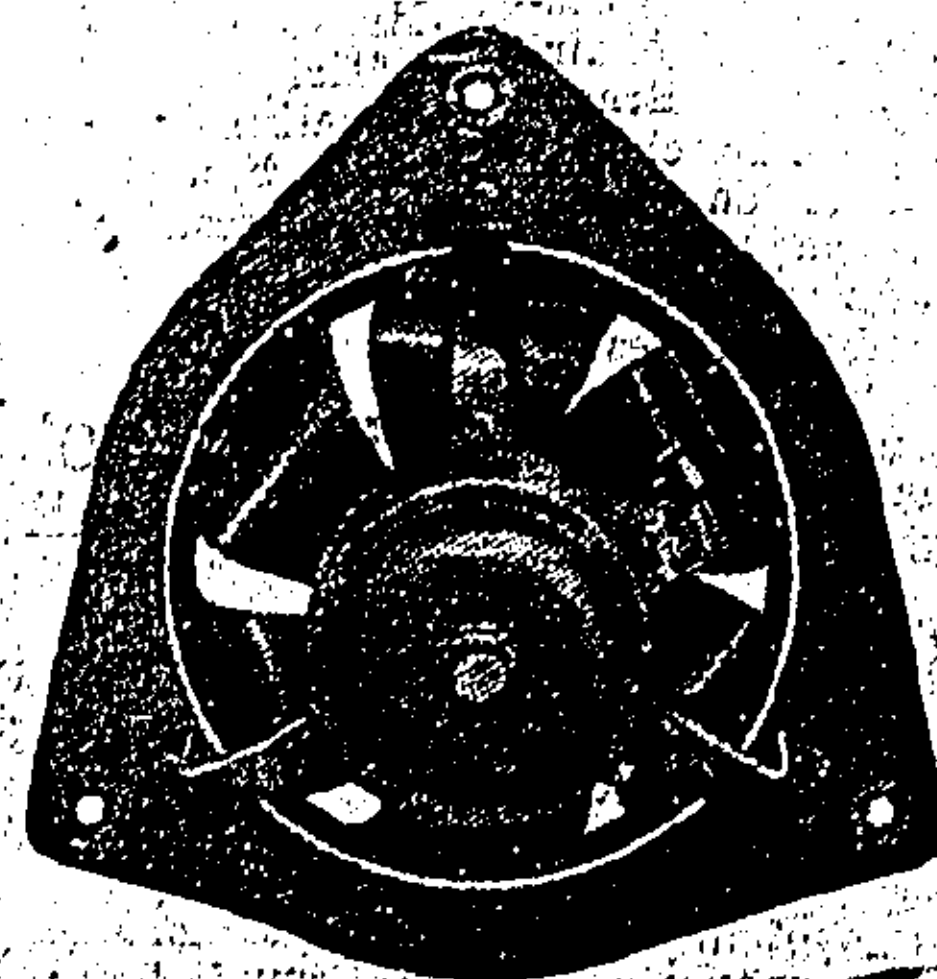
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 Victor Light Opera Co. 35809.
 By the Waters of Minnetonka.
 Under the Leaves.
 Renee Chemet-Violinist. 1228.
 Semper Fidelis March.
 American Patrol.
 Victor Military Band. 22061.
 Gems from Follow Thru.
 Gems from Hold Everything.

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SCHOOLMASTER'S SUICIDE WITH SPORTING GUN.

Shanghai, Sept. 22.
 A verdict of suicide while of unsound mind was returned at the inquest to-day concerning the death of Mr. Henry Baring, assistant master at the Public and Thomas Hanbury School for Boys. The evidence disclosed that he shot himself in the head with a sporting gun about 3 a.m. on September 14 after he had arranged the muzzle between the struts of the bed at his home, No. 22, Ming Hong Road. His head was blown off.
 A peculiar feature of the case was that, in addition to the gun with which he killed himself, Mr. Baring had in his room a fully loaded British Army rifle with the safety catch released and the cut-out ready for firing.
 In a pencilled statement he left all his property to his friends. It is believed that worry over his health after attacks of malaria and blood poisoning accounted for the desperate act.—Our Own Correspondent.

Victor Light Opera Group. 35970.
 Petite Suite (Bizet).
 Victor Concert Orchestra. 35758.
 Kashmiri Song.
 Smilin' Through.
 Reinold Werrenrath-Baritone. 1427.
 Tea for Two-Fox Trot.
 I want to be happy-Fox Trot.
 Waring's Pennsylvanians. 22292.
 Humoresque (Tchaikovsky).
 Albumblatt (Rachmaninoff).
 Fritz Kreisler-Violinist. 1170.
 Songs my Mother taught me (Dvorak).
 Slavonic Dance (Dvorak).
 Fritz Kreisler-Violinist. 1414.
 Last Rose of Summer (Moore).
 Home Sweet Home.
 Amelita Galli-Curci-Soprano. 1355.
 8.00 p.m. Relay from Ko Shing Theatre.
 9.00 p.m. Weather report.
 11.00 p.m. Close down.

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MAHOMMEDAN GIRL EDITOR GETS THREE MONTHS.

Dombay, Sept. 22.
 Mrs. Rama Baikamdar has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment. The 19 year old Mahomedan girl editor of the Congress Bulletin has also been sentenced to three months' and three male members of the Bombay Congress "War Council" to four months' imprisonment.—Renter.
 [Mrs. Rama Baikamdar succeeded Mrs. Hansa Mehta only a fortnight ago as President of the Bombay Congress "War Council."]

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thing begun and we hope well begun. That I can honestly say this now, is due to the generosity of Mr. Kwok Siu-lau.

THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.

Little Prospect of Expansion in the Near Future.

His Excellency said:—Mr. Vice-Chancellor, Ladies and Gentlemen, on behalf of my wife and myself I thank you, the Vice-Chancellor, and the members of this University for the very warm welcome you have given to us. Although I have visited the University informally and have been engaged to a considerable extent with its affairs since I arrived in Hongkong last May, this is my first official visit and I am very glad that it is associated with two such pleasing ceremonies. It is a great privilege to unveil the portrait of my predecessor, Sir Cecil Clementi.

The post of Chancellor of this University is, as you know, ex-officio, though the holder may possibly have some claim to administrative experience but need not necessarily possess those high academic qualifications which one may reasonably associate with the holder of such office.

These qualities were combined in Sir Cecil Clementi. He had a most brilliant academic career at Oxford and gained many distinctions. As the Vice-Chancellor has already informed you he might have stayed on there, added to his academic laurels and done great work in an atmosphere which undoubtedly appealed to him. But he chose a wider sphere and has served his country in several colonies with ability and distinction. I feel sure that when he returned to his first love, Hongkong, his pleasure must have been greatly enhanced at the thought that as well as being Governor he would also be Vice-Chancellor of this University. In that capacity he has taken the greatest interest in it and he has worked hard and loyally for it.

It is hardly necessary for me to expatiate on his great friendship and sympathy with the Chinese and on his restoring the friendly relations between this Colony and its neighbours, relations which I need hardly say I will ever endeavour to maintain (applause). It is fitting, therefore, that some of his Chinese friends and admirers should have combined to have this portrait painted and presented to the University to which he was so devoted. As Chancellor of the University I thank them most sincerely for the gift.

Financial Problem.

The other ceremony which I am to perform is the opening of a Biological Laboratory. My experience, so far, of the University's affairs, has been somewhat depressing, though it is almost entirely connected with its finances. There seems very little prospect of expansion in the near future and, indeed, it is no easy task to carry out its maintenance. I may, however, say that it has one great asset and that is the cheerful and unfailing optimism of its Vice-Chancellor (applause). So long as that is maintained I shall always have great hope of the future. In the circumstances, therefore, it is very gratifying to find that it has been possible to make an extension of some kind in the shape of the Biological Laboratory. As the Vice-Chancellor has told you, for that we are, in the

main, indebted to Mr. Kwok Siu-lau, who presented a considerable sum of money some time ago, part of which has been utilised. For that gift I thank him most sincerely on behalf of the University (loud applause).

Biology is a subject which has grown greatly as far as the interest taken in it is concerned in recent years, and it looms very largely in most schemes of education. In many Colonies arrangements are being made to provide increased facilities for teaching it in schools and it is obviously essential that in a University such as this we should have adequate and sufficient facilities for its teaching. It is a subject which has many branches covering a large field. It is essential to a proper study of medicine and of paramount importance to agricultural, industrial enterprises and in health and sanitation. It involves a study of life of not only humans and animals but also of trees, plants and flowers, and the layman, even with a small knowledge of it, will find the study of life greatly enhanced thereby.

"Hongkong Naturalist."

In this connexion I should like to mention to you a journal which has recently been published in Hongkong named the *Hongkong Naturalist* which was started by Mr. A. H. Crook, Headmaster of Queen's College, Hongkong, and by Dr. Herklotz. It is a very interesting production and has aroused considerable interest in this Colony and has secured quite a considerable number of subscribers. It publishes coloured plates which are extremely well done and I know that the authors are hoping to extend the number. In this department Dr. Herklotz has shown great enthusiasm and given evidence of his high qualifications. He is proving a great acquisition to the University and I feel confident that his qualifications will assist him in making a name of which both he and the Hongkong University will be proud.

I referred just now to the great generosity of Mr. Kwok Siu-lau and I feel I must take this opportunity of appealing to others for like generosity. With somewhat less, perhaps, than his usual tact, in view of our present relations, the Vice-Chancellor remarked that Hongkong is no Oxford nor even Cambridge but it has acquired a good name of its own. The Chinese are well known for their great interest in education and learning and I cannot believe that they will ever allow the University to contract or to go back. They and others have shown great generosity in the past and for that generosity the University is ever grateful.

No Abandonment.

The Government has done what it can, especially recently in troublous times, in seeing it through its most acute difficulties. The Vice-Chancellor, I think once remarked that he deprecated the possibility of the rulers of Hongkong, in a moment of economy, abandoning the University. I am afraid, alas, that economy has become rather the order of the day but I cannot envisage the Government ever abandoning the University (applause). The amount of financial help it can give must necessarily be limited by its own resources and therefore I feel that in view of our financial position it is necessary to make an appeal to those who can possibly afford it to help. I know that Hongkong, like the rest of the world, is passing through times of depression but I think there is money in Hongkong, as evidenced by the amount that is invested in lands

and buildings. I trust, therefore, that my appeal will not be entirely barren of results.

The University has a keen and able Vice-Chancellor, a hard-working and competent staff, and I feel sure that if we can get the necessary financial support there is no reason why it should not take a high place among the Universities of the World.

Those present then left the main hall and proceeded outside to the new building where His Excellency formally declared it open. Afterwards the building was inspected.

The unveiling ceremony was commenced when the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall mounted the platform and addressed those present in the following words:

MR. KOTEWALL'S SPEECH.

Origin of Portrait of Sir Cecil Clementi.

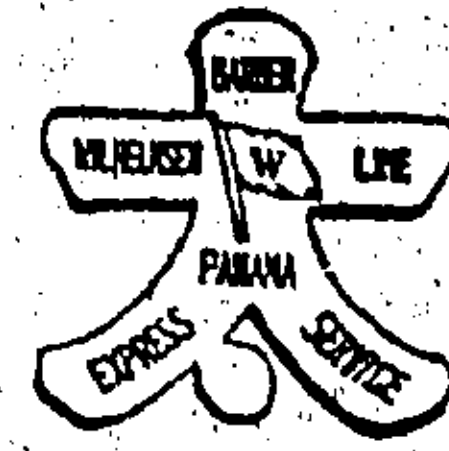
Your Excellency,—I have been asked by the Vice-Chancellor to state briefly how this portrait came to be presented to the University. Shortly before Sir Cecil Clementi's departure for Singapore in February last, his Chinese friends in Hongkong felt that His Excellency's service to the Colony in general and to the Chinese community in particular should be commemorated in some tangible way and they thought that such a memorial could best take the form of a portrait in oils to be hung in Government House or the University main building, or in some other public building. Sir Cecil Clementi chose the University, which readily accepted the gift.

The subscribers were pleased with the choice of place, which they considered singularly appropriate. Himself a distinguished scholar of wide repute, Sir Cecil Clementi has rendered signal service to the University, having been closely associated with it from the days of its frail infancy. He is the author of its Anthem in Latin verse, and from the day he became its Chancellor, he worked with untiring energy in its interests. I think I am voicing the sentiments of the staff when I say that his sympathetic understanding and practical support in a time of harassing financial difficulty have been to them an inspiration and a solace.

Sir Cecil Clementi's services to the Colony are fresh in the minds of the community. Foremost among them was his wonderful success in restoring and then strengthening the friendly relations between Kwangtung and Hongkong which, on his arrival in 1925, he found to be strained to the breaking point. More than any of his predecessors, he succeeded in promoting a spirit of goodwill, co-operation and harmony among all sections of this cosmopolitan community. He will carry live in the memory of the Chinese as their real friend, and as a ruler who aimed at fundamental things, and achieved them, for the good of the people.

I have now the honour, on behalf of the subscribers, to ask Your Excellency to unveil the portrait which will show itself to be the fine achievement of a gifted artist, Mr. A. Shister, of Singapore.

His Excellency then walked across the platform and drew aside the covering concealing the picture by means of strings. The picture was greeted with applause and is an excellent likeness of Sir Cecil Clementi. His Excellency then said "I have much pleasure in unveiling this portrait and in accepting it on behalf of the University as a gift from the donors." (Applause).



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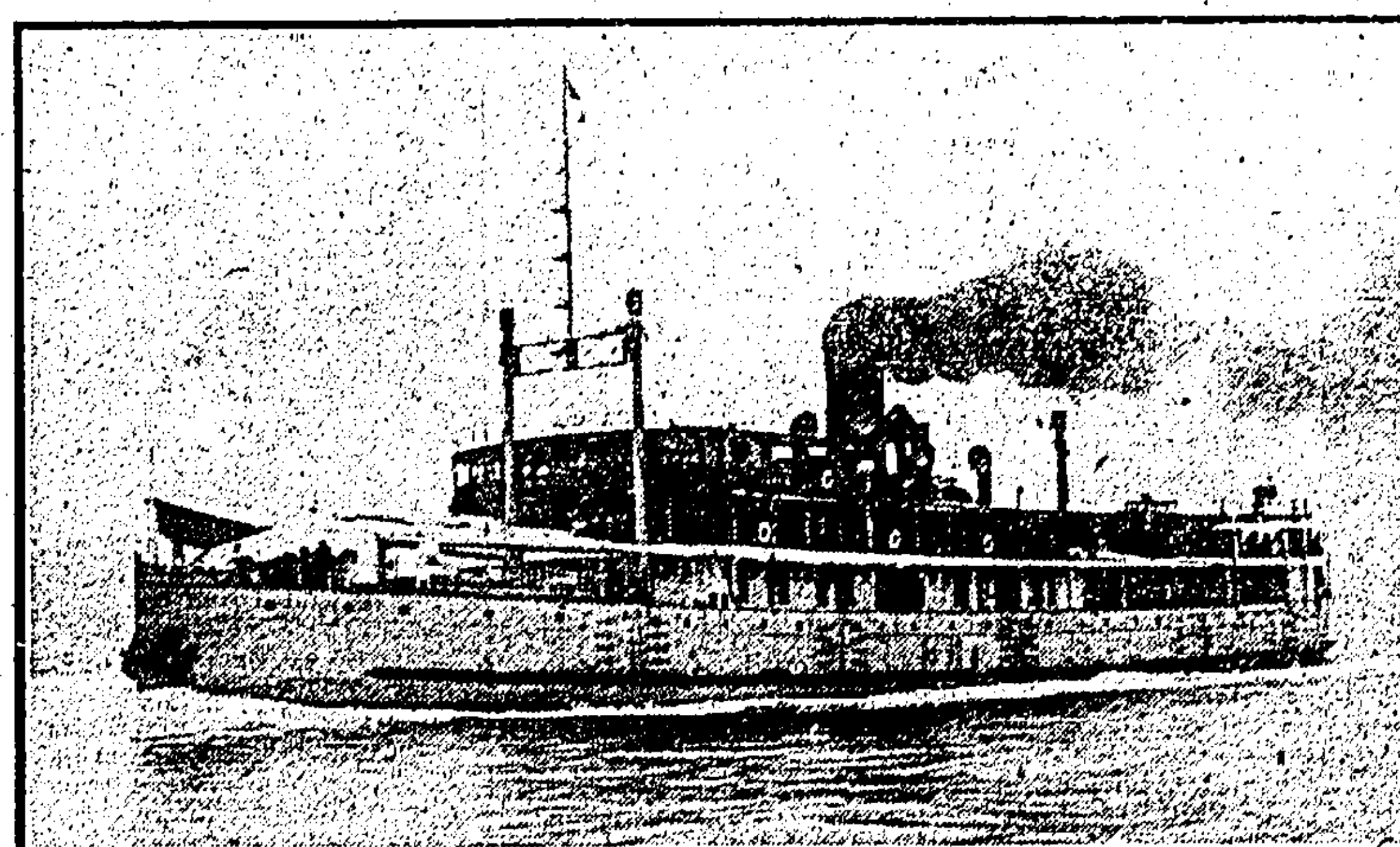
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London, Sept. 22.
In a report to be submitted to the Labour Party Conference at Llandudno on October 6, the Parliamentary Committee state that, exclusive of 289 Labour Members of Parliament, the number of prospective Parliamentary Labour candidates endorsed for the next general election is 158. The organisations declared to be ineligible for affiliation to the Labour Party include the League Against the Imperialists, the left wing movement, minority movement of the Workers' International, the Relief of National Unemployed Workers Committee movements, the Friends of Soviet Russia, and the International Class War Prisoners Aid all of which are described as ancillary or subsidiary to the Communist Party. Members of these organisations are ineligible to be individual members of the Labour Party, to be delegates to the party locally or nationally, or to be candidates of the party for Parliamentary or local Government elections. The Committee add that the existence of organisations ancillary or subsidiary to the Communist International has been established without doubt, and the technique of their organisation and propaganda has been elaborated by the Communist International itself.—British Wireless.

KOWLOON BAND CONCERT.

FINE PROGRAMME FOR TO-MORROW.

The programme to be given by the band of the 2nd. Battalion Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders under the conductorship of Mr. C. S. Peat, A.R.C.M., at the Kowloon Football Club ground to-morrow night is as follows:

- Part I.
 - 1.—March on Themes from "Der Ring des Nibelungen", Richard Wagner (1813-83).
 - 2.—Excerpt from Dramatic Symphony in B minor "Unfinished", Schubert.
 - 3.—Selection, "Rose Marie", Friml.
 - 4.—Scottish Melodies by Combined Band and Pipes, Arr. C. S. Peat.
 - (By Special Request.)
 - Soloist: Pipe-Major R. Sinclair.
 - 5.—Rhythmic Medley, "On with the Show", (1930), Arr. Somers.
- Part II.
 - 6.—Cavalcade from the Opera, "Der Geist des Volwoden", Grossmann.
 - 7.—Highland Dance, Piper J. Anderson.
 - 8.—Humoresque, Dvorak.
 - 9.—Two Songs
 - (a) "Bonny Wee Thing", Arr. C. S. Peat.
 - (b) "Wells of Weary", Arr. C. S. Peat.
 - 10.—Selection of Old Favourites, Squire.
 - Regimental March—"In the Garb of Old Gaul".
 - God Save the King.

DANGER OF EATING MUSHROOMS.

POISONOUS SPECIES TAKEN BY CHINESE.

A species of poisonous fungus, mistaken for edible mushrooms, is believed to have been taken by a family living at 1094, Canton Road, Kowloon, at their evening meal yesterday. Soon after the meal, the woman and her three sons, aged 22, 15 and 9 years respectively, were seized with pains which necessitated their removal to hospital, the woman to the Kwong Wah and the three sons to the Kowloon Hospital. Their condition is not serious, however, according to a report made by the hospital authorities.

CAPTAIN LOSES BIG SUM OF MONEY.

NEARLY \$2,500 TAKEN FROM SAFE IN CABIN.

Netherlands Indies and Japanese money of a total value in local currency of \$2,425, is reported by Captain P. Abbo, of the J.C.L. s.s. Tjikembang to have been stolen from a safe in his cabin. During Sunday night, a Javanese member of the crew is believed to have entered the cabin and, by means of a key taken from a pocket of Captain Abbo's coat, to have opened the safe and helped himself to the contents. Police investigations are proceeding.

THE IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

SERIOUS PROBLEMS HAVE
TO BE TACKLED.

ECONOMIC MATTERS.

London, Sept. 22.
It is officially announced that as the Prime Minister of Canada will not be able to reach London until September 30, the opening meeting of the Imperial Conference has been deferred until October 1.

The opening, which will take place in London next week, is awaited with keen interest. It is anticipated that the most important discussions will be those dealing with economic questions, and their range will be of the widest character. They will embrace tariff changes and the extent and effect of recent imperial tariff preferences, bulk purchase, agriculture and communications, including shipping, aviation, cables and wireless.

The Secretary of the Dominions, Mr. J. H. Thomas, referred to the complex problems before the Conference in a speech at the Wool Research Conference in London to-day. He added—"There never was an Imperial Conference held in more difficult circumstances, but it is equally true that never was a conference more necessary."

Each constituted part of the Empire was faced with its own domestic and economic problems. "We in the old country are passing through a period unexampled in history. I have confidence, however, that the old spirit of grit and determination that saw the country through many of its difficulties in the past will pull us through. At the Imperial Conference we shall sit down, not with a desire to think for ourselves alone, but with a single-minded desire to see how we can combine our brains and energies to make the best use of the Empire, with its unlimited potentialities and possibilities for the common good of all."—British Wireless.

YOUNG RUSSIAN TO BE EXPELLED.

ARRIVES HERE WITHOUT PROPER PASSPORT.

Admitting a charge of arriving in the Colony yesterday, from Canton, without an appropriate passport, a young Russian Suvooroff was ordered by Mr. Lindsay, at Central Magistracy this morning, to pay a fine of \$50 or undergo a term of six weeks' imprisonment to be followed by his expulsion from the Colony.

Detective Sergeant Whant informed his Worship that quite a number of people had arrived in the Colony recently without means and without their papers being in order, and it cost the Government a lot of money to repatriate them. The defendant had arrived from Canton on the train, having gone to Canton from Shanghai. He came to the Colony to look for work.

His Worship:—Did he give himself up to the Police?

Detective Sergeant Whant:—He came up to register and asked to be allowed to remain to find work.

You have nothing against him?—We have nothing against him, but it is entirely the principle of the thing. So many people are floating down without their papers being in order.

LARCENY OF SUM OF \$12,500.

FURTHER REMAND OF THE ACCUSED MAN.

On the application of the complainant in the case in which a Chinese was charged with larceny of \$12,500 from a money changer, the defendant was again remanded by Mr. Lindsay at the Central Police Court this morning, to enable the complainant to secure further information from the accused of certain accounts of the shop. The defendant, who pleaded guilty to stealing the money on his first appearance yesterday, was remanded to allow him to explain certain items in the accounts of the firm in which the defendant was formerly employed.

Although the police indicated to his Worship this morning that according to what they had been told by the complainant the accounts had been satisfactorily explained, the complainant's son, who appeared in court, asked his Worship to discharge the defendant so that he could explain a certain item in respect of a sum of \$3,000.

His Worship pointed out that he could not discharge the defendant, but remanded him for another three days.

LATEST REVOLT IN S. AMERICA.

CHILEAN GENERAL FAILS
IN ATTEMPT.

EXCHANGE OF SHOTS.

Santiago de Chile, Sept. 22.
A communique announcing that a revolt at Concepcion has been crushed says that the instigators have been imprisoned.—Reuter's American Service.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 22.
The revolt at Concepcion was instigated by the exiled General Grube, who arrived there by a train from Argentina with General Bravo. General Lira, commanding the garrison, was ordered to arrest Grube, who fired a revolver at Lira. The latter replied to the first, and both exchanged several shots before Grube was arrested.

The rebels have been given solitary confinement at the naval station at Talcahuano.—Reuter's American Service.

Earlier Message.

New York, Sept. 22.
According to a message from Buenos Aires a revolt broke out in Concepcion, Chile, against the Government. President Carlos Ibáñez of Chile has reported that an aeroplane landed at Concepcion on the 21st inst. with Generals Juanaduke Grube and Bravo and the Deputy, Leon Ugaldé, who arranged the Regiment composing the garrison there.

This regiment afterwards revolted. The Chilean Embassy in New York states that the revolt has been frustrated and that the country is tranquil.—Reuter's American Service.

HEALTH BUREAU CASE APPEAL.

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cepting the plea of *autrefois acquit* the Magistrate was wrong for two reasons. The first was because there was no jurisdiction at all in a Magistrate to entertain that plea because of the existence upon the record of the plea of not guilty which had been put forward first. No one took the point that the two pleas could not be recorded together. Mr. Jenkin quoted an authority in support of his submission.

Dealing with his second point, counsel said that in order to establish the plea of *autrefois acquit*, although the test was expressed differently in different authorities, the test of a 1914 case could be taken as final and conclusive. It was "that defendant must prove either that on the first occasion he was acquitted of the identical offence with which he is now charged," or "that on the former occasion he could have been convicted of the present offence," or "that on the former occasion he could have been convicted of an offence which is substantially the same as the present offence."

Counsel said that if defendant could prove one or another of those three, then the plea was good and was sustained, but if he failed to prove one or another then he would fail to establish the plea and would fail to show that he was in jeopardy on previous occasions for the same or substantially the same offence.

Mr. Jenkin submitted it was clear that none of those things had been satisfied in the present case, and therefore defendant's plea could not be sustained.

Appeal Allowed.

After hearing Mr. Leo d'Almeida's submissions that the plea of *autrefois acquit* was good, in so far that the charge was not taken as an indictment, but was dealt with summarily, the Court decided that the appeal must be allowed.

Mr. Justice Wood said that although they were of the opinion the learned Magistrate was correct in treating the plea at the convenience of the Court, he was wrong in accepting it as a good plea. They ordered that the case be remitted to the Central Magistrate, for either Mr. Butters, or any other Magistrate there to hear again *de novo*.

RAIN EXPECTED.

The Royal Observatory reports that the anti-cyclone is central to the north of the Lower Yangtze Valley. Depressions are shown to the north of Tokyo and to the east of Tourane. The local forecast is:—N.E. winds, fresh; generally cloudy, some rain later.

Air traffic in France, especially in Paris, has grown so in the past two years that it has been found necessary to construct another port some distance from Le Bourget field. This port will cost \$300,000, and is to be presented for consideration to the French Chamber of Deputies soon.

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